

REPLY FROM J. BULL
NOW AT WASHINGTONVENZUELAN NOTE REACHES
THE CAPITAL FRIDAY.

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Washington, Dec. 7.—Lord Salisbury's reply to Secretary Olney's letter requesting a final and definite statement of Great Britain's purposes concerning Venezuela is in Washington, having been delivered to Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador, last night. The answer was brought to Washington by Donalson, the special messenger of the embassy, who makes regular trips to New York for the purpose of carrying the official mail to and from Washington. Donalson immediately left for Washington. The great interest centers here as to the nature of the reply which Lord Salisbury has made to the American secretary of state. Ambassador Pauncefote said last night that Lord Salisbury's letter would be presented to Secretary Olney today.

HOUSE HAS A SHORT SESSION.

Resolutions on Armenia Introduced by Mr. Walker.

Washington, Dec. 7.—When the house met yesterday Messrs. Terry (Dem.) of Arkansas and Boatner (Dem.) of Louisiana, belated members, were formally sworn in, and a committee to pass on members' mileage accounts was appointed.

Mr. Baker (Rep.) of New Hampshire asked unanimous consent for the immediate consideration of a resolution calling on the secretary of agriculture to report to the house whether he had expended the whole or any part of the appropriation made by the last congress for the distribution of farmers' bulletins, but Mr. McMillan (Dem.) of Tennessee objected.

The following bills were introduced: By Representative Harris of Ohio, levying a duty on wools, as follows: Wools and hair of a first class, 11 cents per pound; second class, 12 cents per pound; third class and on camel's hair of the third class, the value whereof shall be 13 cents or less per pound, including charges, the duty is to be 32 per cent ad valorem. On wools of the third class and on camel's hair of the third class the value of which exceeds 13 cents per pound, the duty is to be 50 per cent ad valorem. Wools on the skin are to pay the same rate as other wools.

By Representative Barham of California, to amend the act incorporating the Maritime Canal company of Nicaragua. One feature of the bill authorizes the issuance of bonds not exceeding \$150,000,000, with interest at 3 per cent, to secure the means to construct and complete the canal. All sums expended for materials and supplies necessary to the construction are to be purchased in the United States, except such as may be grown or produced in Nicaragua or Costa Rica, and no Asiatic labor is to be employed.

Mr. Walker (Rep.) of Massachusetts offered a petition in the form of a resolution from the naturalized Armenians of the United States, nine-tenths of whom, he said, lived in his district, and requested that it be printed in the Record. After reciting the alleged oppression and outrages of the Turkish government, it concluded:

"Resolved, That the people of the United States, through their representatives in congress assembled, hereby express their deepest abhorrence and condemnation of the outrages thus committed on their American fellow citizens, as well as on other Christian subjects of Turkey.

"Resolved, further, That his house, composed of the immediate representatives of the American people, pledge its support to the government in every measure justified by international law and a common humanity to vindicate the rights of our fellow citizens or their families in Turkey, and to hinder and prevent, as far as practicable, the continuance of the outrages and massacres in that land."

Mr. Turner (Dem.) of Georgia, objected to printing the petition in the Record, and it was referred to the committee on foreign affairs, after which, at 12:30, the house adjourned until Monday.

FIRST TARIFF BILL.

Congressman Morse Would Revive Many Provisions of McKinley Law.

Washington, Dec. 7.—Congressman Morse of Massachusetts will on Monday introduce the following bill, to provide for the existing deficiencies in the revenue, and move its reference to the committee on ways and means.

"Be it enacted, etc., that on and after Jan. 1, 1896, there shall be levied, collected and paid upon all articles imported from foreign countries and mentioned in schedules G, J, K, and L, of the revenue, and approved Oct. 1, 1890, the duties imposed in those schedules; also upon earthenware, both decorated and plain, the duties named in paragraphs 84 and 85, schedule B, of said act; upon tin plates the duties named in paragraph 121, schedule C, of said act, and upon gloves of all kinds the duties named in paragraphs 343 to 350 inclusive, in schedule N, of said act."

This bill revives the McKinley bill

in the sections named; and would be a very short bill, and probably one upon which Mr. Morse thinks all Republicans could agree without difficulty or delay, except that many would want to go much further and to revive or add duties not touched here. But, considered only as a temporary measure, to meet the existing emergencies, he thinks that it might readily serve with more or less modification as a basis of agreement.

Mills Explains His Silver Bill.

Washington, Dec. 7.—Senator Mills' attention was called yesterday to the fact that objection had been made to the part of his bill directing the secretary of the treasury to pay out silver when the reserve is below \$100,000,000, viz., that it would put gold at a premium. "When," he said, "the gold reserve is over \$100,000,000 the treasury is in easy circumstances, and may redeem its notes in either gold or silver. When the reserve is under \$100,000,000 the cautionary signal is up, and the secretary should protect the government by paying in standard silver coins, and stop a run that may be made to embarrass the treasury, and compel it to sell bonds to foreign and domestic capitalists seeking investment for idle millions."

Position of Populist Senators.

Washington, Dec. 7.—Notwithstanding the determination of the populists in their caucus the other day to stand together as a party, it is said they will permit, if not vote for, reorganization provided the republicans will nominate George C. Gorham for secretary. The silver men have the power under the rules to reorganize the committees and make them all silvery in complexion, but they are divided between republicans and democrats and will not leave their respective caucuses. While the silver republicans do not expect everything, they do expect to get their full share.

Chicago Boomers at Washington.

Chicago, Dec. 7.—Six Republicans left for Washington this afternoon to treat with the members of the national committee for the national convention. The members intended to have at least \$80,000 to lay before the national committee as Chicago's bid for the convention. Instead of this sum they will carry with them barely \$35,000 worth of pledges. Nevertheless the committee will make a fight against Pittsburg, St. Louis and San Francisco.

Wool Growers' Convention.

Washington, Dec. 7.—The National Association of Wool Growers continued their meeting here yesterday. The greater part of the session was consumed by a discussion of the memorial asking for relief for the wool industry which is to be presented to congress. Its consideration had not been completed when the meeting adjourned until today.

Chief Justice Not Yet Recovered.

Washington, Dec. 7.—Chief Justice Fuller expected to attend the supreme court yesterday, but was not well enough. His illness is not serious. He caught cold, had some of the symptoms of the grip, and deemed it the wisest course to stay at home for a day or two. He will undoubtedly be in his seat on the bench next Monday.

Capt. Isaac Bassett Dying.

Washington, Dec. 7.—The illness of Capt. Isaac Bassett, the venerable assistant doorkeeper of the senate, took an unfavorable turn yesterday and it is now believed that his death may occur at almost any time.

THE APACHE OUTBREAK.

Settlers and Soldiers Co-operate Against the Redskins.

Phoenix, A. T., Dec. 7.—Latest reports from the vicinity of the San Carlos agency, this territory, indicate that the outbreak of the Apaches is of more importance than was at first supposed. The bodies of four white men were found Thursday in the lower Gila Valley, near the reservation line, close to Fort Thomas, which was recently abandoned by the United States troops. This is forty-five miles from Ash Springs, where the Merrills were killed, so that it must have been done by a different band of Indians, and undoubtedly by a larger band. Settlers in that section are under arms, and the troops from Forts Bayard, Grant, and Huachuaca are scouring the country. The Ash Springs murderers have been trailed to the Stein's Peak range, a favorite locality for the Apaches when they have been doing mischief.

Coal Miners' Conference Adjourns.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 7.—The joint convention of coal operators and miners adjourned yesterday, after fixing the machine scale, which does not differ materially from the old rate. The arbitration committee of five operators and five miners was appointed. This committee will have absolute control of this district and its decisions in all differences arising shall be binding on both sides.

Heavy Gold Engagements.

New York, Dec. 7.—Lazard Freres & Co. will ship \$1,500,000 in gold and L. Von Hoffman & Co. \$1,100,000 in gold by today's steamers. Baring, Magoun & Co. have bought \$200,000 in gold bars in the open market for shipment, making the total thus far to be shipped \$2,800,000. All of the engagements of gold made yesterday were for bars.

THE TRADE REVIEW
BY DUN & COMPANY

SLUGGISH CONDITION OF BUSINESS REPORTED.

Markets Are Crowded With Stock Bought at Low Prices—Larger Demand Looked For After the Holidays—The Week's Failures Less Than Last Year's Record.

New York, Dec. 7.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says: "Business is still sluggish, as if gorged by excessive indulgence of the appetite for buying when prices were advancing. In nearly every branch stocks not yet distributed to consumers stand in the way of new orders, and competition of a producing force largely exceeding the present demand puts down prices that decline, retarding purchases yet more. After the holidays men look for a larger demand. For the present the springs of new business are running low, but enough is doing on old orders to keep most of the works employed in part and a good proportion fully. Financially influences have not hindered, and rarely has the opening of a session of congress affected business so little.

"Wheat has advanced about a cent for the week, though Western receipts have been 7,014,911 bushels, against 3,727,788 last year, and Atlantic exports, flour included, again exceed last year's, 2,326,093, against 1,887,737 bushels. The best Western estimates of the crop have been raised again. Corn comes from farms less freely than a year ago, the low prices hindering, but exports were 1,293,774 bushels, against 178,813 last year. Cotton has been weak again, declining a quarter for the week, and the January option 27 points. The quantity which has come into sight, 35 per cent less than last year to date, does not yet indicate a yield 30 or 37 per cent smaller, as many predict, though the recent movement is very slow.

"Northern spinners have taken about a third less than last year. Wool has been slightly strengthened by the London sales, but the average of quotations by Coates Bros. is only a tenth of 1 per cent higher. Sales continue large, 6,463,100 pounds for the week, of which 60 per cent was foreign. Manufacturers have much machinery idle at present and orders thus far are not encouraging. Dress goods are in less demand and Atlantic all wool J cashmeres were reduced 10 per cent.

"Iron and its products are lower. The average of all quotations is 3½ per cent below the highest point in September, but actual sales are frequently made below quotations. Proposed combination of lake ore producers has not yet been effected and with the fall in the price of iron is less probable. Rails have not changed, while Bessemer pig has declined 5¢ and billets 6¢ per ton, and a purchase of 10,000 tons for San Francisco from England is noticed, with a considerable importation of wire nails at Boston. Copper is weaker at 14 cents for lake, with narrow demand, and tin a quarter weaker, with the visible supply here and abroad 29,231 tons, against 22,445 tons a year ago. Anthracite coal is weaker and sold at \$3.80 here, against \$4.15 according to circular.

"Failures in the United States for the week have been 324, against 385 last year, and 52 in Canada, against 40 last year."

ALARMED THE DEPUTIES.

Crack Fires Shots from a Revolver in the French Chamber.

Paris, Dec. 7.—At the conclusion of the debate on the budget of the ministry of justice yesterday a stranger in the gallery fired two shots from a revolver. He was arrested. Nobody was hurt. The man who fired the revolver said that his name was Gilbert Lenoir. His pistol still contained four cartridges when it was taken away from him. Lenoir was seen to fire in the direction of the diplomatic gallery, and when he was seized he made no resistance. He was found to be a respectable draper's clerk, 23 years old. Upon his examination by a magistrate after being arrested, he declined to respond to the queries which were put to him. A search of his sleeping apartment proved without result.

Sensation in a Court Room.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 7.—"The Yehuda Brotherhood" was convicted in two minutes yesterday of counterfeiting. The finding of the United States jury breaks up one of the most daring gangs of coiners known to the secret service bureau for years. There was a sensational scene in the court when the jury rendered their verdict. Relatives and sympathizers of the accused men were there to the number of 500 or 600. When the verdict was announced they set up a yell and made a rush for the informers, Fierst and Resilen. There was almost a riot, and the two men had to be locked up to avoid injury by the mob.

For a Bimetallist Conference.

London, Dec. 7.—A dispatch to the Times from Paris says that the French Bimetallist league has convened an international conference, which is to meet Dec. 10, continuing until Dec. 12, to agree upon the terms of an appeal to the respective governments to renew negotiations for an international agreement for the use of both gold and silver as money metals. Representatives of England, Belgium and Germany will attend.

JACK TAR LANDED
ON TURKISH SOIL

JOHN BULL HAS TAKEN A DECIDED ACTION.

Occupy a Suburb of Constantinople Ostensibly to Protect the British Embassy—Denial that the Powers Have Disagreed—U. S. Minister Makes Demands.

London, Dec. 7.—Special dispatches from Constantinople allege that H. M. S. Imogene and Cockatrice have landed blue jackets at Pera to protect the English embassy.

Pera is a suburb of Constantinople, on the north side of the "Golden Horn," on the summit of the hill above Galata and Tophane. It is two miles in length, chiefly inhabited by Franks, and comprises the residences of several ambassadors, with Greek and Roman Catholic churches, a Mohammedan college, and a monastery of Dervishes.

A dispatch to the Chronicle from Vienna says: "It is stated that ex-Sultan Murad has not fled from Constantinople, but has been secretly killed by the Sultan's entourage on account of his liberal tendencies."

The Constantinople correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says there is a rumor that the Armenian committee has become desperate at the inaction of the powers, and will organize fresh demonstrations.

Paris, Dec. 7.—It was semi-officially denied last evening that there was any truth in the story telegraphed to the Pall Mall Gazette from Rome that Russia and France have withdrawn from the concert of the powers regarding the Turkish questions and that efforts are now being made to hold a European conference. Similar reports have been circulated, it is claimed, by agents of the Turkish government frequently during the past month or so. In fact, the same rumor has been started several times in different shapes during the past week.

NOTES FROM TERRILL.

United States Minister Makes a Formal Demand on the Sultan.

Constantinople, Dec. 7.—Minister Terrill has addressed two notes to the Porte, one of them demanding the dismissal, arrest and punishment of the officer commanding the Turkish troops at Marash for failing to furnish a guard for the protection of the American mission buildings there, and also demanding the punishment of the soldiers who joined the rioters in pillaging the American property at Marash. The second note declares that the conduct of the Caimakans of Aintab and Marsovan, the Mutessarif of Amasia and the colonel in command of the Turkish troops at Marsovan are worthy of the highest praise, adding that they all acted humanely and heroically during the riots.

An act of heroism upon the part of Miss Mary E. Brewer, an American missionary at Sivas, is recorded. During the worst of the time of the massacres at Sivas, she, in spite of the great peril to which she was exposed, went to the American consulate, traversing the scene of carnage, in order to save an Armenian woman who had been of service to the missionaries. Miss Brewer conducted her in safety to the consulate.

LABOR'S BIG MEETING.

American Federation Begins an Important Session Monday.

New York, Dec. 7.—Preparations are almost complete for the fifteenth annual convention of the American Federation of Labor, which opens next Monday morning and will continue for perhaps ten days. It is expected this convention will be larger than any previous meeting of the organization. During the last year the membership of the order has increased about 100,000 by the accession of several national trade organizations, and the 130 delegates will represent about 800,000 members. England will be represented at the convention by two "fraternal delegates," J. Cowey of the Miners' union, and James Mawdsley of the textile workers. It is intended to make the presence of these two Englishmen serve as a bond of sympathy and information between the two countries, at least as far as the labor movement is concerned. They will give the convention the benefit of English experience in trade organization, and will probably carry back some American ideas in return. The eight-hour day will be the principal subject of discussion at this meeting. The discussion will be chiefly on ways and means for bringing about the desired result. As to the principle involved there is no doubt that the convention will be a unit.

No New Trial for Durrant.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 6.—Theodore Durrant has been denied a new trial. In ten days he will be taken from the county jail to San Quentin prison and kept there until sentence is pronounced. He will appeal to the supreme court.

Peter Maher Signs the Articles.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 7.—Peter Maher has signed the articles to meet Bob Fitzsimmons for the world's heavyweight championship on Feb. 14 next in Mexico. John J. Quinn, Maher's representative, brought the document from New York, where it was drawn up Thursday.

ABUSE OF HABEAS CORPUS.

Attorney-General Harmon Talks of It in His Annual Report.

Washington, Dec. 7.—The annual report of Attorney-General Harmon, sent to congress yesterday, shows that there has been an increase in the number of criminal cases pending in the federal courts, as well as an increase in the expenses of the courts from \$3,864,808 in 1888 to \$5,628,223 in 1895. The attorney-general calls attention to what he regards as the growing abuse of the writ of habeas corpus and suggests that the allowance of a stay by the Supreme court or one of its judges be required, at least on all appeals after the first. He asks for an additional circuit judge in the 5th and 6th circuits.

The Northern Pacific litigation has called attention to the necessity of legislation to regulate the appointment of receivers and judicial sales of railroads parts of whose lines are in different states. He points out the desirability of the investment of a single court with control over the entire property.

Prompt action is urged toward working out the solution of the problem presented by the government's relation to the Central and Union Pacific railroads, and, as it may become necessary or advisable for the government to institute proceedings against one or both of these companies, he shows the necessity of a law giving some court in the District of Columbia jurisdiction of the entire property and all of the parties in interest. He urges the imperative demand for the erection of at least one penitentiary in a southern state for the confinement of convicts from the southern districts. The attorney general says the principles established by the opinion of the supreme court in the Debs case are of the highest value and importance.

LIVE STOCK INTERESTS.

Delegates to the Chicago Convention Continue Their Sessions.

Chicago, Dec. 7.—Sixty delegates to the sixth annual convention of the National Live-Stock exchange met in Exchange hall at the stock yards yesterday to discuss the trade. The convention decided to petition the political leaders to cut their national campaigns to sixty days, as business men agreed that the long campaigns heretofore carried on have been detrimental to commercial interests. Committees were appointed consisting of the different exchanges to prepare memorials to congress on the removal of foreign embargos from our meat; on the desirability of securing legislation, if possible, which would secure the entry of our live stock, under proper quarantine regulations, to foreign countries, and on the removal of the tax on oleomargarine. Uniform methods of live-stock inspection were recommended and the building of the Nicaragua canal by the United States and keeping it under its control was unanimously approved. After some discussion it was decided to hold the exchange conventions in future during the month of October. No action was taken on the receipts of live stock, it being considered impracticable. The delegates attended a banquet in the evening. The closing session of the convention began this morning at 10 o'clock, when election of officers will occur and the reports of committees appointed will be received.

NITROGLYCERIN EXPLODES.

Buildings Wrecked in Ohio and Lives Thought to Have Been Lost.

Toledo, O., Dec. 7.—What was at first supposed to be an earthquake shock was experienced here at 10:10 last night. Later, news from the oil regions stated that two nitro-glycerin magazines standing close to each other, about two miles south of Bowling Green, had blown up. The concussion of one had doubtless exploded the other, but the shocks seemed to be instantaneous.

Distressingly meager reports from Bowling Green, which was cut off by failure of the telegraph to work, stated that all the plate glass windows and doors were shattered to pieces and people walking the streets were thrown to the ground. A number of business houses were completely wrecked. It is not known positively whether any lives were lost, but rumors say there were several. No one seems to know the cause of the explosion. The shock was so severe that it stopped the pumps at the waterworks station here in Toledo, twenty-five miles away. Plastering was also thrown down at several places in this city, and light furniture tossed about.

St. Louis Guarantees Funds.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 7.—The Business Men's League held a special session yesterday, when it was resolved to guarantee generally under the seal of the corporation, such amount as might be necessary to secure the Republican national convention and properly entertain the delegates. Plans were submitted for projected alterations in the Exposition building, so as to furnish a hall with 15,000 seats. Headquarters and rooms were secured by wire at the Arlington Hotel, Washington, for a special committee appointed with full power to use the guaranty of the Business Men's League, which is an incorporated body and thoroughly responsible. This committee started this morning by the Baltimore and Ohio railway, and will arrive in Washington at noon Sunday.

Ohio Coal Miners Obdurate.

Columbus, O., Dec. 7.—The Ohio miners have refused to meet with the operators' committee of seven, to whom was referred the adjustment of the demand for a cash rate in this state.

WAGON IS RUN DOWN
BY A FLYING TRAIN

AN ACCIDENT AT BELOIT THIS MORNING.

St. Paul Passenger Crashes Into a Milk Wagon on a Blind Crossing—Both Horses Killed—Driver Escapes Narrowly—Trouble Feared at Ishpeming.

Beloit, Dec. 4.—[Special]—The ten o'clock passenger train on the C. M. & St. Paul road from Janesville struck O. Royce's wagon on a crossing in this city killing the horses and demolishing the wagon. Mr. Royce jumped just as the engine struck the horses and saved himself. The crossing is unguarded and it is impossible to see a train from the east.

Trouble at Ishpeming.

Ishpeming, Mich., Dec. 7.—[Special]—The indications here are that trouble will break out next spring between the miners' union and the owners of the mines. The owners will not recognize the union, and the men are preparing for a determined stand when the ore shipping season opens. Railway Work Begun.

Ishpeming, Mich., Dec. 7.—[Special]

Work will begin Monday on the new Lake Superior and Ishpeming railway. Five hundred men are here to start the work and many of them are obliged to sleep in the jails.

Scarlet Fever at Oshkosh.

Oshkosh, Wis., Dec. 7.—[Special]—Many cases of scarlet fever are reported here today, showing a steady increase, and an epidemic is feared. Strict precautions have been taken. MAKE HIGHER EXPRESS CHARGES.

The Rates for the Transportation of Money Are Advanced.

As a result of the agreement between the leading express companies in the country rates for carrying certain valuable packages have been advanced, and hereafter it will cost 10 cents more per \$1,000 than has been charged for transporting money between Milwaukee and Chicago, which means that it will cost 40 cents for every \$1,000 instead of 30 cents as heretofore. When the decision to increase charges was made known to bankers in Milwaukee a united action was undertaken to defeat the move, but after some conference between bankers and representatives of the express companies a compromise was wrought about and instead of advancing the charges 15 or 20 cents per \$1,000 it was increased 10 cents.

GATHOLIC KNIGHTS ARE ELECTED

Charles Viney Is Elected President for the Eighth Time.

At a business meeting of Branch No. 60 of the Catholic Knights, held at their rooms, the following officers for the ensuing year were elected: President—Charles Viney. Vice President—James Dec. Treasurer—John Weisend. Secretary—Patrick Kavanagh. Patrick Lillis was elected a trustee for the ensuing three years.

This society has been organized eight years, and during all of that time Mr. Viney has held the presidency, which shows that his good work is appreciated.

WATER REACHES THE LOW MARK

River Is Seven Inches "Below the Bell," and Mill Men Despond.

Measurements taken today showed Rock River to be at the lowest point during the year and mill owners were anything but pleased. This morning the stream proper was a foot below the top of the dam, while the water registered seven inches below the low water mark set by the court.

Cold Wave Coming.

Cold wave temperature will fall 30 degrees or more by Sunday night.



The temperature recorded by S. J. Barham & Co. during the last twenty-four hours was as follows: 7 a.m., 28 above; 1 p.m., 25 above; 4 p.m., 31 above; Min., 15 below; Wind, west.

Get the Latest in Colors

A puff scarf in either of the new rich shades of green is fashionable for December and January. Why wouldn't one be a nice present for a gentleman for Christmas? Prices 50 cents, 75 cents and \$1. You can have them handomely boxed if you wish. T. J. Zeigler.

Pocket Book Sale.

Tomorrow we sell pocket books at prime New York cost, and such a line you never saw in Janesville. No matter what kind or price you want, we have got them, and they are just at the manufacturers' price. Best, Bailey & Company.

Mishawaka Suit.

Ha! Ha! We're on now for \$2.50 the outfit? Can you beat that? We are after the scalp of any body who does makes a lower price fight now on Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

Five Dollars.

Our line of men's \$5 patent leather kicks are the top notch and a round to spare. You lose a dollar if you buy before taking a look at them. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

LADS NEARLY DIED FROM SMOKE OF OIL

PECULIAR ASPHIXIATION OF TWO CLINTON BOYS.

Kerosene Heater Was Turned Up Too High, and They Were All But Suffocated When Found—Emerald Grove People Buy Their Coal At Milton—County News.

Clinton, December 6.—F. E. Thorson's two little boys had a very narrow escape from death last Wednesday night. A kerosene stove was placed in the room to warm it, and in some way the stove burned too high filling the room with smoke, and when it was discovered the little boys were nearly suffocated. Constable Bradley took Sheriff Appleby a boarder on last Thursday. Miss Grace Murray entertained about thirty-five friends in a very pleasant manner, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Murray, on Church street, last Thursday evening. Miss Bell Teeter of Delavan, has been the guest of Miss Mima Fessenden the past week. Mrs. Lamont has returned from South Evanston, Ill., where she has been visiting relatives and friends the past month. Mrs. George Wilcox transacted business in Chicago on Monday last. Dr. Collins has moved into his new house on West Milwaukee street. Dan Shimeal of Chicago, called on relatives and friends here the first of the week. Mrs. C. L. Hanson left for Lake Geneva on Tuesday last for a few days' visit among relatives and friends. The case of Olf. Johnson against Jay Jones has been postponed until the April term of court. A. S. Jacobson transacted business in Chicago on Wednesday last. George Miller transacted business in Janesville on Monday last. J. F. Butler has returned from Chicago, and reports Mrs. Butler's condition much improved. P. A. Robinson took in the World's Fair city on Wednesday last. James Locke is very sick at the present writing. Miss Jennie Hamilton called on relatives and friends in Chicago on Thursday and Friday last. Mr. and Mrs. Helmer entertained a large number of their friends at their home on Thursday evening last. Miss Stella Crow is the guest of her sister, Mrs. S. M. Fisher.

EMERALD GROVE FOLK GET COAL AT MILTON

Save \$1.50 Per Ton on Janesville Prices—Other News.

Emerald Grove, Dec. 6.—Milton coal dealers are furnishing our people with coal at a saving of about \$1.50 per ton compared with Janesville prices. Miss Berdie Davis will spend a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. John Thoms. Mrs. P. Decker is considerable better. J. O. Klein, General Secretary Young Men's Christian Association will speak at the Sunday evening meeting. Miss Edith Wright entertained a company last Friday evening, composed of her school mates and friends, the occurrence being the eleventh anniversary of her birthday. The young people had a merry time and spent the evening in feasting on good things prepared for the occasion.

Johnstown Center News.

Johnstown Center, Dec. 6.—William Gulvin of Tennessee, who for a number of years was a resident of Johnstown, was calling on old friends here last week. Mrs. H. S. Johnson of Janesville, was visiting relatives here last week. Elmer Spickerman has gone to Delavan to attend school. Ernest Walker returned from the north Friday, not finding the work in the pineries which he expected. A Christmas tree here is among the possibilities. Mrs. George Walker spent a portion of last week at Lima and Johnstown. Frank Hall found a valuable pearl in an oyster a few days ago. A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Briggs last Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Will Lamb have moved into their new home. H. B. Johnson is spending a few days in Janesville with his sons. Lew Sherman of La Prairie formerly proprietor of the Johnson House was here a short time Thursday. Mart Morse was drawn on the U. S. petit jury but was excused on account of poor health. The feed mill is doing a great business these days, it is kept running nearly all the time.

HANSON COMPANY TO EXHIBIT

Will Send Some of Their Tables to Grand Rapids, Michigan.

The Hanson Furniture company are now making preparations for a large exhibit of furniture to be given at Grand Rapids, Mich. furniture show on Jan. 1. The exhibit will be a credit to Janesville and will consist mostly of extension and center tables and Henry Hansen will give the show his personal attention.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair, 'DR.

PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

MOST PERFECT MADE.

A Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. For Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant. 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

'96 WHEELS NOT CHANGED MUCH

The Price, Too, Has Not Been Cut Down at All.

That there will be very little difference in the general construction of the bicycle for the season of '96 is now an assured fact, and those who have been waiting for the prices of the high-grade wheels to change will be disappointed, for \$100 is still the price for the leading grades throughout the country. Agents for the "Columbia" and "Cleveland," have been in the city, while Frank Beaton, representing the "Saulding" company, was at A. H. Sheldon & Co's, store last evening with the "Saulding" for '96. With the exception of the tubing being one-eighth of an inch larger in diameter, there is very little change from the patterns of '95. Cyclers of the Bower City who have been on the anxious seat for some time for fear their machines would be behind the times, can now rest assured that if they have an up-to-date '95 model, they would still be in the procession therewith.

SIDEWALKS MUST BE CLEARED.

Commissioner Watson Will Show Neither Fear Nor Favor This Winter.

The recent order issued by Street Commissioner Watson to property owners in the city in reference to cleaning their walks of snow, seemed to have the desired effect for very few cases have been reported where the rules have been disregarded. "We made a thorough inspection of the city, after the last snow storm," remarked Commissioner Watson, "and found that all the people were living up to the rule. During the coming winter there will be no favor shown for the rich and poor will be treated alike. We are now only waiting for a good snow storm to set in so that a test case of the law can be made."

EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAMME

Annual Meeting To Be Held at the Baptist Church December 11.

The annual meeting of the Epworth League and Christian Endeavor societies will be held Wednesday evening, December 11, at the Baptist church. Following is the programme.

30. Reports of Officers and Committees; Election of Officers.

31. Address, "Where Ignorance Is Bliss," Professor D. D. Mayne

32. Music.

33. Address, "Latent Power," Professor H. H. Brown

34. Discussion.

35. Music—America

36. Adjournment.

ICE MEN WANT WARM WEATHER

Present "Crop" Is Full of Dirt and They Want It to Melt.

Contrary to the popular idea, Janesville ice men are now hoping for a thaw. The ice in the river is now frozen in a number of places to a depth of three or four inches and George Ferris of the Ferris Ice company says that the recent winds have blown a great deal of dirt and silt into the river and this of course is frozen into the ice. What they want now is a warm spell so that the ice may flow out of the river, followed by a sharp cold spell to freeze a new field.

Do You Always Get It?

Wool-made wear is one thing to talk about and another thing to find in a store. So called is a compound wool that ought to be used in talking about much of the wool underwear sold. Examine our kind of natural wool we are selling at 75 cents a garment. There is never any doubt when you have hold of the real stuff. T. J. Zeigler.

The Noxall or Dutchess

Name on a pair of trousers is a guarantee of its durability. The makers warrant them not to rip. If they do, we do the rest. You get a new pair. Pretty fair proposition, don't you think? Prices \$2 to \$4. T. J. Zeigler.

THE NEWS NOTES OF THE TOWN

WARM goods—all kinds. Richardson & Co.

ARCHIE REID & Co.—A great sale of millinery begins Monday.

SPECIAL prices today in the cloak department at Archie Reid & Co's.

JANESVILLE's substantial citizens are buying their clothing of "Bolles," tailor.

WHEELLOCK for pearl handled table knives with solid silver forks, at \$5 a set, up.

QUILTED satin and fulted fur-trimmed nullifiers, all colors and prices. Richardson Shoe Co.

EVERYWHERE you will hear someone speak in praise of our store, our goods, our fits; of our success. "Bolles," tailor.

OVERCOATS at your own prices at Rosenfeld's on the Bridge. Others do the shouting. We make the prices. Rosenfeld.

COMMERCING with Monday, the store of A. F. Hall & Co., "the reliable jewellers," will be open evenings till after Christmas.

Do you realize the amount of enjoyment that it is possible to get out of a good opera glass? A. F. Hall & Co., "the reliable jewellers," carry a complete stock of the best known makes, and guarantee the quality and price. An opera glass would make a nice Christmas gift.

If you want to surprise your husband, father or brother with a nice Christmas present for little money, just take the time to look at Rosenfeld's overcoat. The prices are cut down so low that we mean business. If you have an idea of buying such an article for Christmas and have not the money, we will lay it aside for you and give you the advantage of our cut prices, and they will be cut, we assure you, at Rosenfeld's on the Bridge.

WHAT YOU CAN HEAR IN LOCAL PULPITS

SUNDAY SERMONS IN JANESVILLE SANCTUARIES.

The Bower City Ministers of the Gospel Announce Their Topics for the Address to be Delivered at the Various Churches Tomorrow Morning and Evening.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH—Pentecostal prayer meeting at 6:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:30. General meeting for ladies at 3 p. m. Epworth League at 3:45 p. m. Preaching at 7 p. m. The revival services being held by evangelist Edwin Burrows will continue next week. Services each day. Closet prayer in the home at 9 a. m. Pentecostal meeting at 2:30 a. m. Boys and girls meeting at 4:10. Preaching at 7:30 a. m. The only service for Monday will be the evening service. All the above services will be held by Evangelist Burrows assisted by Rev. Frank Pease, Rev. A. Porter and other ministers.

ALL SOULS—The People's Church—Morning lecture at 10:30. Subject "The Gospel according to Thomas Carlyle." School for religious culture meets at 12:15. Culture club lecture at 5 p. m. Subject: "Catholicism and Romanism." This is the second in the series of lectures on "Christianity and its Organized Sub-divisions." Letters from prominent representatives of the Roman Catholic church will be read. An opportunity for the asking of questions will be given at the close of the lecture. Miss Hyde will sing appropriate solos. V. E. Southworth, pastor.

CHRIST CHURCH—Second Sunday in Advent. Bible Sunday. Celebration of the Holy Communion 8:00 a. m. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Morning service and sermon 10:30 a. m. Sermon topic "The Bible and Its Import." Young Men's Bible Class in Parish House, 12:00 m. Christ Church Cadet service 4:30 p. m. Evening service and sermon 7:00 p. m. "The Spirit That Opposes Foreign Missions." Evening service Friday 7:15 p. m.

COURT STREET M. E. CHURCH—Dr. S. Halsey, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School and class meeting at 12. Epworth League at 5:45 p. m. Morning subject, "Anti-Christism of the Nineteenth Century." Evening, "Why the Catholic Church Wins."

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Morning worship at 10:30 o'clock. Sermon by the Rev. S. P. Wilder, who exchanges pulpits with the pastor for the morning service. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Sermon by the pastor. Subject, "Rehoboam; Lessons from the Son of Solomon."

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Morning worship at 10:30, conducted by Rev. E. H. Pence in exchange with the pastor. Evening service at 7. Topic of sermon, "Samson the Impulsive Man." Endeavor meeting at 6.

BAPTIST CHURCH—There will be preaching service in the morning as usual. Topic, "Christ Asleep." No service in the evening. Sunday School and young people's societies meet as usual.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE—Services are held in Room Five, Bennett block at 10:30 a. m. Sunday, and at 7:30 p. m. Friday. Sunday topic, "Joseph and His Brethren." All are cordially invited.

TRINITY CHURCH—Second Sunday in advent. Holy communion 7:30 a. m. Matins, litany and sermon 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 12. Choral evening 7 p. m.

LOCAL NEWS IN A LINE.

A FULL line of neckties at the Annex.

New salad dishes and fancy plates. Annex.

ALL kinds of illustrated books at the Annex.

A PERFECT paradise for the children is the Annex these days.

ANY suit or overcoat remember that for \$5 at Winslow's.

EVERYTHING in the line of fancy goods and toys. Annex.

We don't place any limit on your choice. Anything in the store for \$5. F. S. Winslow.

In your holiday selection don't miss a nice chamber set, such as are found at Lowell's Annex.

A SUIT that originally cost wholesale from \$12 to \$15, we sell now for \$5. F. S. Winslow.

WITH 3,000 volumes of books we can very easily please the most fastidious reader. Lowell's Annex.

THE sale of fancy goods goes merrily on at Archie Reid & Co's. Best line in town and by long odds most reasonable.

OUR sale of leather goods begins tomorrow. You can find just what you want for Christmas gifts, and all go at wholesale billed prices. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Buy pocket books and purses of Bort, Bailey & Co. Sale commences tomorrow. An immense sample line goes at exact New York cost. Bort, Bailey & Co.

OUR great annual pocket book sale begins tomorrow. We offer the entire sample line of one of the largest manufacturers in the country. You take your choice at wholesale cost. Bort, Bailey & Co.

If you want a good lamp go where they sell good lamps only. A. F. Hall & Co., "the reliable jewellers," sell the best lamps made in the prettiest styles at just as low prices as you would care to pay for poor ones.

ASSOCIATION WAS SUSTAINED.

J. A. Clark Will Not Recover Protested Money of The Racing Society.

Among the cases heard by the Board of Review at its Chicago meeting was the case of J. A. Clark, Carroll, Ia., and b. m. Nymph (s.) vs. Janesville Driving Park association; protested collection, \$38.65. Protest is made on the ground that the race for which suspension is ordered took place and the b. m. Nymph competed therein, hence the suspension was not legal. The protest was overruled.

REVIVAL MEETING A SUCCESS.

Rev. Mr. Burrows Is Doing a Good Work At the First M. E. Church.

The revival meeting at the First M. E. church last evening was a session of unusual interest and power. Rev. Manator of Shopiere was present and aided in the services by offering the opening prayer. He also sang a solo which was greatly appreciated. Mr. Burrows was at his best, and a large number were at the altar seeking the blessing of a "right heart."

SWEDES SETTLE IN TENNESSEE

Local People Much Interested in the "New Colony" Scheme.

Rock county Swedes are interested in a movement which is now on foot in both Waukesha and Walworth counties for the exodus of one thousand Swedes with a view to forming the first Swedish colony in the United States. This scheme has been quietly talked up for some time past, and is said to be the enterprise of an eastern real estate firm, the idea being to settle on a million acre tract of Tennessee land.

LOCAL NEWS IN A LINE.

ALL members of the Y. M. C. A. junior department are requested to meet at the building for 6:45 tonight for the purpose of reorganizing.

HOLIDAY goods of every description for man or boy at the popular clothing house of Rosenfeld on the bridge. Mufflers, gloves, caps, canes, umbrellas, a full and complete line of each at low prices. Rosenfeld.

The X Grade of the Famous C & B clothing is particularly adapted to the hard wear to which farmers and mechanics subject their garments. Buy one suit of this well known clothing and you will wear no other make in the future. Sold only by S. D. Grubb.

PARTIES wishing any goods in trade for good second growth dry wood please call and see us. F. A. Taylor.

We are holding bob sleds at the same price 14-16-18 though manufacturers have raised from \$2 to \$3 a set on them. F. A. Taylor.

MUFFLEES, silk handkerchiefs, neckwear, the finest lot in the city. Choice 25 and 50 cents can be found at Rosenfeld's on the Bridge.

A Stitch in Time

Saves nine, says the old proverb. Mr. J. F. Wassel, printer

Dwight, Ill., says: "I neglected what seemed a slight ailment until I became so broken down from rheumatism that I had to give up my work and became an invalid. I yielded to my wife's proposition to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. I used 2 bottles, have entirely recovered strength and enjoy life like a new man. My wife says

Hood's Sarsaparilla Did it and insisted on my writing this."

Hood's Pills cure habitual constipation. 25c. per box.

I want to Sell you Groceries And sell them Awful cheap For Cash!

Best Granulated (not China) Sugar per lb..... 5c
Best Breakfast Java Coffee, per lb..... 25c
Best Soaps, all kinds..... 4c
Best Patent Flour, per sack..... 90c
Best Spearhead and Climax Plug..... 40c
Good Pink Tobacco..... 20 and 25c
Best Smoking Tobacco..... 15c
Best Oat Meal per lb only..... 2c
All other Groceries at correspondingly low prices. I have the choicest line of NEW TEAS ever seen. With every pound of 40c or 50c tea I give an elegant Tea Cup and Saucer. Or one lb. of best Chocolates or Caramels, gratis. With every lb. of 25c or 30c Tea I give one lb. of fancy Mixed Candy, gratis. All teas sold by me can be tested at my Tea Counter. I invite all to call and take a cup of Tea any time, gratis, whether you buy or not.

Respectfully,

W. T. VanKirk,

(Regulator of Prices in Groceries)

STATE AND COUNTY TAX'S.

To whom it may concern: The tax rolls and warrants for the collection of state and county taxes in the city of Janesville, Wis., are now in my hands for collection, and all persons in default are requested to make payment thereof at the office of the city treasurer, as the same will be collected at the cost and expense to the persons liable for the payment of said taxes.

J. A. FATHERS,
City Treasurer.

Dated Janesville, Wis., Dec. 4, 1893.

J.M. BOSTWICK & SONS.

THE BIG STORE

20, 22, 24, 26, S. MAIN ST., JANESVILLE, WIS.

WE KEEP THE QUALITY UP



The Royal Worcester W. C. C. Corsets Received the Highest Award Grand Medal And Diploma From the World's Columbian Exposition, Chicago, 1893.

W. C. C. Corsets receive highest award, grand medal and diploma from the World's Columbian Exposition, Chicago, 1893, Celebrated for beauty of shape, style, comfort and durability. The Royal Worcester must be right in every way, for it is woman's favorite corset. Famous the world over and carried and sold freely by every leading dealer from Maine to California, with a daily increase in sale almost incredulous. At the present time the makers of Royal Worcester are the largest manufacturers of fine corsets in the world. Cramped for room in their Chicago quarters, the company moved December 1 to the James Walker Building, Market and Adams streets, second floor, while the home plant at Worcester, Mass., moves into its new factory Feb. 6, 1896.

This factory will be a model in its way, a magnificent pile of granite and brick, four stories high, 265 feet in length and 50 feet wide, with a wing 55 feet long, just double the capacity of the old, and will start with an output of 1,000 dozen corsets a day, high grade corsets being their specialty. To the president, general manager and founder of this company, Mr. D. H. Fanning, is due in large measure its wonderful success. For thirty-five years his head and hand have guided the Royal Worcester onward and upward with a clean record and marvelous growth, gaining steadily even in the face of a withering panic that made many a strong house tremble in the balance, while others, less able to withstand the shock, tottered and fell, crushed out of existence. Growing daily by woman's favor and the expert judgment and wise comparison of the merchant, the Royal Worcester people have kept ever in mind the one big thought to make the good better and the better best. The unapproachable Royal Worcester W. C. C. is ever a mockery to the limited skill and genius of the imitator. Easy enough to dream success but the way to victory is marked by the merit mile stone. Half the world of women's hearts today are beating against a Royal Worcester.

10 styles of W. C. C. corsets are to be found in our stock, from 50c to \$3.60. We are willing at any time to furnish any special style represented in their catalogue which we have. If you are wearing any particular make corset, and paying \$3 to \$4 for it, look at our line may be the means of saving you from \$1 to \$2 on a single pair. Our No. 550, at \$2.25 for extra stout women, is an excellent style; has extra heavy clasps, curved to fit the body. It is designed for those who require an extra strong corset, having 24 steels. We invite women who are paying fancy prices for corsets to come in and examine the W. C. C. corsets.

No. 339—"Dress Form" high bust with shoulder straps.....\$1.25
No. 450—Shapely, very popular..... 1.00
No. 660—Substitute for \$3.25 P. D. A standard "Dress corset" made of beautiful satin finished cloth, two side steels each side long..... 2.00
No. 492—Extra length, gives an especially genteel figure, six hook clasps, two side steels each side..... 1.00
No. 653—A universal favorite, it is strictly genteel, two side steels each side, corded bust, silk flanging, long..... 1.25
No. 150—A well-liked corset..... .50
No. 608—Pongee silk, combines, extremes of lightness, strength and durability—in extra long, long, mediums and short..... 3.50
No. 675—Abdominal, adjustable sides, patent button fastenings on bottom, made of substantial material, has three duplex side steels, each side..... 1.75



Your Corset Cannot Break If You Wear Pearl Corsets. We Have Sold Them For Two Years And Know Their Worth. 25c

INMAN AND BOLLARD

ALL KINDS OF ARCHITECTURAL CABINET AND DECORATIVE GRILL WORK WOOD WORK.

4 N. RIVER ST. JANESVILLE, WIS.

Nowhere

in these parts can be found so complete a stock of Fall and Winter Woolens. The season nearly gone but

Our Stock

is still

Complete

double that of any other tailor's in Janesville. We haven't a yard of goods too many. Next fall it will be worth 25 per cent more. Being all the

Newest,

these goods are gold, but you can buy them now

Very Low.

'BOLLES' Tailor.

M. T. Middleton, manager.

For Sale!

My interest in the EAGLE CIGAR BOX & LABEL CO., established 1884; to an energetic and capable road man this will be found the chance of a life-time.

MY ELEGANT NEW HOME. Has more modern improvements than any residence in city. No fair offer will be refused.

THE BEST UNIMPROVED BUSINESS LOTS in Janesville, opposite Court House Park.

TWO HOUSES on corner Linn and North streets. Will pay ten per cent on the investment.

L. R. TREAT.

A Beautiful Gift.

We have some Gas Banquet Lamps that are indeed as nice a thing to be used as gifts as can well be selected. You needn't give them away either. If you want a lamp that gives lots of light and is not continually in need of oil. The Welsbach Burner is used on them; and we can give you any color shade and silk tube to match. They are not so expensive either.

NEW GAS LIGHT CO.

5 North Main St.

Office open Wednesday and Saturday evenings.

J. B. GREEN

Sash, Doors, Blinds, Brackets, Mouldings, Hard and Soft Wood Finish Scroll Sawing, Wood Turning Grille Work a Specialty. Proprietor of Phoenix Planing Mill, on race a rear of post-office, Janesville, Wis.

Economy.

Don't purchase Storm Sash until you see the Fagan's Felt Weather Strip. It is absolutely the best on the market; keeps out the wind and cold dust, smoke and dirt. Good in summer as in winter. Get my prices before you purchase.

6 N. Blu St. GEJ. BARRIAGE.

THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS.

SCHOOL BOARD MET TO DO MUCH WORK

ENGINEER AND JANITOR T. KING MAY QUIT.

He Asked For An Increase of Salary, Which the Board Refused—Matter of the Spring Brook School House Discussed—Bills Are Paid—Other Business Transacted.

The school board transacted considerable important business at the regular meeting held last evening. Thomas King, janitor and engineer of the new High school, requested that his salary be raised from \$40 to \$45 a month, which was refused. Commissioner Clemons said Mr. King had said that he would not remain if his salary was not raised, which the board took to mean a resignation.

Bills to the amount of \$4,173.13 were ordered paid, and Miss Alice Whiffin's request that her salary be raised from \$40 to \$45 a month was received and filed.

Superintendent Mayne said that he had been requested by Clerk Cunningham to ascertain the number of pupils in the two schools contributory to Spring Brook. He had found fifty south of the river that attended the Douglas school and thirty that attended the Jefferson school. Of those attending the Douglas school twenty-three were in the first grade and nine in the second, while but ten from the first and second grades attended the Jefferson school.

Favored Renting Rooms.

President Goldin said he had received no official notice from the city clerk of the council's action. He thought temporary quarters could be secured for the winter if they were needed.

Commissioner Clemons said that he found several families, while taking the school census, where the children could not go to school because of the distance they had to go.

Superintendent Mayne said there was no way of ascertaining the number of pupils that could not go to school because of the distance they were obliged to travel. Commissioner Clemons moved that the matter be referred to the president and clerk and the motion prevailed.

President Goldin stated that the board had been invited to attend the annual convention of the school boards of Wisconsin to be held at the Normal school, Milwaukee on Friday, Dec. 27. The object of the convention is to get the school boards of the state together and exchange ideas, etc.

Talked of Manual Training.

The matter of opening the manual training department in the high school was left with a committee consisting of President Goldin and Commissioners Shearer and Anderson. By a new state law, passed by the last legislature, the first ten schools that adopt the manual training course will receive \$250 from the state, but they must be in operation by the first of January. The committee was instructed to see the state authorities, examine into the feasibility of such a plan and report to the board.

The matter of ventilating the closets in the new high school building and protecting the slides for cold air draught was left with the building committee, after which the board adjourned.

Resolutions of Respect.

WHEREAS—It having pleased our Divine Master to summon from our midst our beloved comrade, John C. Metcalf.

Resolved—That W. H. Sargent Post, No. 20, Dept. of Wisconsin, Grand Army of the Republic, of which deceased was an honored member, do recognize our great loss and that we, the survivors are once more admonished of the positive limit of man's existence.

Resolved—That the Adjutant be, and is hereby instructed to send a written copy of these proceedings to the widow of the deceased expressive of our sorrow and condolence.

E. O. KIMBERLEY
J. G. WRAY
W. G. PALMER
Com.

Janesville, Dec. 4, 1895.

Stein Bloch Co's. Overcoats Slaughtered

Louis A. Kohn, representative of the Stein Bloch Co's. clothing house, New York, was in the city yesterday, selling Resenfeld, the clothier on the bridge, his spring goods. It is a little early to tell you about spring goods, but we do this merely to inform you that this store has always handled the Stein Bloch line of clothing ever since we have been in Janesville and will only say what a pleasure it is to step into a ready made clothing store and put on a tailor made garment and pay no more than you do for inferior makes. We are selling the Stein Bloch line of overcoats regardless of cost; they must go. Prices slaughtered to the wind. Come to us and see whether we don't do as we say we will. No wind, but business. Resenfeld the clothier on the Bridge.

Piles of people have piles, but De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve will cure them. When promptly applied it cures scalds and burns without the slightest pain. C. D. Stevens.

THEY. M. C. A. DEDICATION PLANS

The Board of Directors Held Another Meeting Last Evening.

The board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. held another meeting last evening when the matter of the dedication of the new building was further discussed. Monday evening, December 16 or Tuesday evening, December 17 will be the date. President E. E. Loomis will preside, H. J. Cunningham will read the history of the association; B. F. Duwiddie and John M. Whitehead, the first and second presidents will be invited to speak; Dr. Hodge will deliver the prayer; State Secretary F. E. Anderson, Judge John W. Sale, and Secretary J. O. Kline will speak while the Y. M. C. A. orchestra will play, and, if possible C. B. Willis of Milwaukee will be secured to lead the singing.

SOCIETIES ELECT OFFICERS.

Rock River Encampment.

Rock River Encampment No. 3, Independent Order Odd Fellows last evening elected their officers for the ensuing year:

O. P.—J. W. Clark.
H. P.—W. B. Stoddard.
S. W.—John G. Jerg.
Scribe—A. H. Taylor.
Treas.—W. H. Burchell.
J. W.—Ed. O. Smith.

Trustees—For two years, Jerome Howland; for three years, M. S. Prichard.

There will be a public installation next month, when the officers will be installed by District Deputy Grand Patriarch J. E. Hutchinson.

Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen.

Rock River Lodge, No. 210. Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

Master—G. W. Richardson.
Vice Master—S. H. Grimes.
Secretary—R. S. Burnett.
Financial—E. H. Tregoning.
Journal Agent—J. E. Mead.
Warden—Thos. Brennan.
Conductor—H. Turnbaugh.
Chaplain—C. N. Corson.
Inter Guard—M. F. Dulin.
Outer Guard—F. McConnell.

Dr. James Gibson was chosen as medical examiner. The lodge will soon move from the present quarters as R. M. Bostwick needs the room for the enlargement of his business.

EVENTS SET FOR TONIGHT.

DANCE at Concordia hall.

BUSINESS meeting of the Epworth League at the First M. E. church.

For Sunday Afternoon.

Y. M. C. A. meeting.

DIVISION No. 1 A. O. H.

DIVISION No. 2 E. O. H.

BOWER City Lodge No. 385 B. of L. F.

For Monday Afternoon.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES.

Foot Crushed

He had traded at Brown Bros. & Lincoln's and he let his pocket book fall on his foot now he uses a cane. He had bought his winter supply and found the prices so reasonable that he had lots of money left.

Coughing irritates the delicate organs and aggravates the disease. Instead of waiting, try One Minute Cough Cure. It helps at once making expectation easy, reduces the soreness and inflammation. Every one likes it. C. D. Stevens.

Clergymen's Half Fare Permits.

For the information of clergymen and other religious officers entitled to travel on half fare permits, a synopsis of ruling for 1896 is herewith given: The application classifies (a) (b) (c) (d), showing those persons entitled to annual and those to only trip permits. The applicant fills in opposite his class; obtains the indorsement of local agent and then forwards application with fifty cents in check, draft, postal or delivers order to B. D. Caldwell, chairman Western Passenger Association, Chicago, Ill.

The annual permit covers 37 miles of railway in western states and is a valuable bit of cardboard. The trip permit covers only between certain points and is limited to 30 days. The signature of one agent at a point where there are several railways will suffice for all. Blanks can be obtained at the depot and may be fully endorsed and sent in at once for permits for 1896.

Read the Death Roll

Which the bills of mortality of any large city may be fitly designated, and you will find that renal and vesical maladies, that is to say, those that affect the kidneys and bladder, have a remarkable pronouncement—had almost said—preponderance. Bright's disease and diabetes in the chronic state are rarely cured, and gravel, catarrh, of the bladder and ureters, slay many. Yet at the outset, when the trouble merely amounts to inactivity of the organs, the danger may be nullified by a day's use of a line of 30 pills, which imparts the requisite amount of tone to the organs, without overtaxing them, and the use of which is convenient, and involves no elaborate preparation. Dyspepsia, a usual concomitant of renal complaints, and debility, which they invariably produce, are remedied by it. So also are constipation, malarial, rheumatic and nervous ailments.

Reduced Rates to Atlanta.

On account of the Cotton States and International Exposition at Atlanta, Ga., the Northwestern line is now selling excursion tickets at reduced rates. For tickets and full information apply to agents, Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

The Quaker Gentleman and Henry Knox 5 cent cigars are two of the finest. Have you tried them at C. D. Stevens' pharmacy?

THE EPWORTH LEAGUE SOCIAL

Very Pleasant Entertainment at the Court Street Church.

The Epworth League of the Court Street church gave a very enjoyable social at the church parlors last night, the program being as follows:

Male Quartet—"Welcome to All"
Messrs. Arthur Beediker, John Fletcher, P. S. Bonesteel and Will Boone feel.
Recitation—"The Last Hymn"
Miss Thersa Haviland.
Recitation—"Grandpa's Spectacles"
Miss Ethel Pond.

Piano Solo—"Selected"
Miss Leona B. Stevens.

Recitation—"Taking the Collection"
Miss Cora Bonesteel.

Vocal Solo—"All on a Market Day"
Miss Clara Spencer.

Recitation—"Regulus to the Carthaginians"
Will Bonesteel.

Reading—"The Dandy Fifth"
Miss Etta Brown.

Male Quartet—"Good Night"
Messrs. Beediker, Fletcher, P. S. Bonesteel and Will Bonesteel.

"PRINTERS INK" FOR OUR READERS

By special arrangement The Gazette can secure for its friends the admirable advertising weekly "Printers Ink," at half price. The subscription price of \$2 a year will be increased to \$5 January 1, but those who file their names with The Gazette by December 10, can have the journal a year for \$1. No paper in the world gives so many ideas for the profitable use of advertisements space, and none is so well worth study by business men and clerks. "The Little Schoolmaster" as it is nicknamed, gives dozens of ready-made ads. each week and discusses thought fully and suggestively the means by which advertising can be made to pay.

If suffering with piles, it will interest you to know that De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve will cure them. This medicine is a specific for all complaints of this character, and if instructions (which are simple) are carried out, a cure will result. We have tested this in numerous cases, and always with like results. It never fails. C. D. Stevens.

Keep Your Walks Clean.

The attention of property owners is called to the provisions of the city ordinances requiring them to clear the snow from the sidewalks.

A failure to comply with this ordinance will subject the owner to a fine of not less than \$1 nor more than \$10. It is the intention of the city government to see that this ordinance is enforced.

J. H. WATSON,
Street Commissioner.

Wife—Here's an account of a man who shot himself rather than suffer the pangs of indigestion. Husband—The fool! Why didn't he take De Witt's Little Early Risers? I used to suffer as bad as he did before I commenced taking those little pills. C. D. Stevens.

De Witt's Little Early Risers for biliousness, indigestion, constipation. A small pill, a sure cure. C. D. Stevens.

An Enigmatical Bill of Fare. For a dinner served on the dining cars of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, will be sent to any address on receipt of a two cent postage stamp. Apply to George H. Hesford, General Passenger Agent, Old Colony Building, Chicago, Ill.

On the Road

Is more of the famous Northern dairy butter. We have some in stock and tomorrow will have 350 pounds more. Its guaranteed to be as good as creamery and costs less. Nolan Bros. Telephone 172.

Cheap Excursions to the South

On November 27 and December 11, 1895, the Northwestern line will sell excursion tickets at very low rates to a large number of points in Kentucky, Tennessee, Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas, Indian Territory, Oklahoma, Texas and Arizona. For tickets and full information, apply to Agents, Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

One Minute Cough Cure is rightly named. It affords instant relief from suffering when afflicted with a severe cough or cold. It acts on the throat, bronchial tubes and lungs and never fails to give immediate relief. C. D. Stevens.

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth! Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy Mrs. Winslow's SOOTHING SYRUP for children. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

One Minute Cough Cure is a popular remedy for croup. Safe for children and adults. C. D. Stevens.

WANTED.

WANTED—Scandinavian or German girl for general housework at 108 South Academy street.

A FEW good bustlers to make from \$3 to \$5 a day selling our line of 30 pins, clocks, silverware and other household holiday goods on monthly payments. No experience or investment necessary. Send for terms. Give street, address. John Gately & Co., 21 La Salle St. Chicago.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms at No. 57 Cherry street.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—A cow that will be new milch within two weeks. Address M. Gazette.

LOST—On Monday last, a gold medal. Finder will kindly return to this office and receive suitable reward.

WANTED—A man, Matheson & Co. 11th have several A1 mortgages for sale.

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One and a half teaspoonfuls

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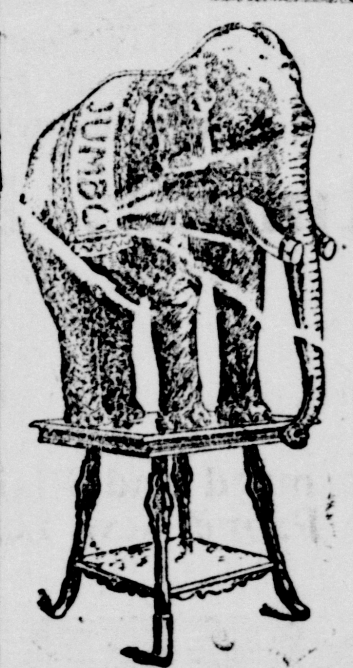
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anything of our Jumbos? More than 60,000 of them have been sold by the manufacturers of this celebrated Center Table. Call and see them. Price reduced to suit the times.

On Monday Dec. 2

we will place on sale 1000

Cane Seat and Back Rockers, large size, which cost at wholesale \$2.50. We bought the entire lot at our own price. Our price is \$1.28.

Cotton Top Mattress, \$2.50. Woven Wire Springs, \$1.50. Solid Oak Dining Chair, 75c.

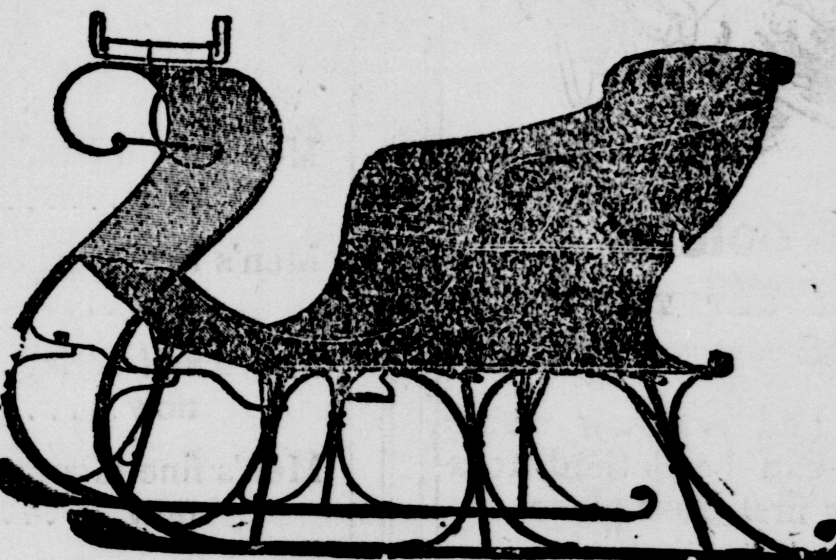
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When in doubt what to use for Nervous Debility, Loss of Sexual Power (in either sex), Impotency, Atrophy, Varicocele and other weaknesses, from any cause, use Sexine Pills. Brains checked and full vigor quickly restored. If neglected, such troubles result fatally. Mailed anywhere, sealed, for \$1.00; 6 boxes for \$5.00. With FEAL MEDICINE CO., Cleveland, Ohio.

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The Latter End of a contract is vastly more important than the first.

Insurance that you can't get after you have paid for it isn't cheap at half a cent.

Rocky Insurance Company.....Net Surplus, \$2,186,242.
Buffalo German.....Net Surplus, \$1,106,542.
True Company.....Net Surplus, \$1,203,272.
Commercial Union Assurance Company.....Net Surplus, \$ 98,882.
Pennsylvania National Fire Insurance Company.....Net Surplus, \$1,230,174.

These are but five out of my list of Companies. The figures quoted suggest Safety, Reliability and Ample Protection. These are points worth considering.

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Immediate remuneration upon appointment
Good Commission. Apply to
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Our Ability

to be of the greatest service to you depends to some extent on your co-operating with us. Our line runs practically through the center of the state, and we desire to aid in improving the business of the community at the same time benefiting our road.

If those who read this will enquire how our train service is conducted they will be sure to make more use of our lines.

Our trains are run to accommodate the business, and for comfort and prompt service. We want to manufacture, a abundance of

Timber of all kinds, Pine, Hemlock, Oak, Birch, Maple, Basswood, etc. Tan-bark, together with Granite and Lime Stone Quarries, Clay beds for brick, and our unlimited supply of Iron Ore, with general proximity to markets, these facts should be of interest to all interested in locating manufacturing.

Correspondence is solicited from who want to do business with us.

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If you will advertise them in the
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ZETTE.

THE JANESVILLE GAZETTE
THE OFFICIAL CITY PAPER
Entered at the postoffice at Janesville, Wis.,
second-class matter.

THIS DAY IN HISTORY
1562—Marie Stuart, the beautiful queen of
Scotland, born; beheaded under Elizabeth in
1587.
1663—Algernon Sidney beheaded on Tower hill,
London, for complicity in a plot to murder
King Charles II.
1795—Marshal Ney, one of Napoleon's ablest
lieutenants, who committed treason for
his sake, executed by his own soldiers at
the Luxembourg gardens in Paris; born
1769. Ney was one of those who held out
longest against his old chief when Napole-
on returned from Elba to recover his em-
pire. Ney's officers and soldiers went over
in a body, and Ney was constrained to join
them. It is believed that Napoleon hesitated
about giving him a high command at
Waterloo. He did so, however, and Ney
fought gallantly for the tricolor. He was
tried and condemned to death for desert-
ing the army in front of the enemy. A
tradition among the common people of
North Carolina has it that Ney was set
free and emigrated to America, where he
taught school under the name of Peter Ney.
A full account of the story, with the proof
offered to support it, was published re-
cently.
1895—The North German steamer Deutschland
(American line) wrecked off the coast of
England; 50 lives lost.
1894—Comte Ferdinand de Lesseps, promoter of
the Suez and Panama canals, died; born
1805.

HOW IT GROWS.
In the last three months foreigners
bought from us \$13,212,490 less and
sold us \$29,152,396 more than in the
corresponding months last year. We
are "getting hold of the markets of
the world" but it is by the hot end.
Least there may be doubt as to the ac-
curacy of the figures cited, it may be
said that they are from the official
consular reports. Fifteen countries
are taken and each show larger ship-
ments of their products to the United
States than in the corresponding quar-
ter of 1894. The aggregate increase
in the export trade of these countries
was at the rate of nearly \$150,000,-
000 a year. The improving trade
that the free trade papers write about
undoubtedly exists—but it exists in
foreign countries, not in the United
States.

ROCK'S JUST DUES.
Rock gets simply what she deserves
in the new apportionment bill. Three
years ago she was the most powerful
woman in her portion for years. Her standing
and importance entitle her to this.
The apportionment committee recog-
nize the fact and have acted accord-
ingly.

The greatest wrong ever put upon
the county was its dismemberment
under the democratic gerrymander.
As far as representation in the sen-
ate goes Rock is disfranchised. The
injustice was borne patiently but there
is every reason why ample reparation
should be made at the first oppor-
tunity.

The railroad statistics of the state
of Pennsylvania show that only 1
passenger out of every 4,325,781 car-
ried was killed during the past year,
and only 1 out of 204,947 injured, but
the employees were not so fortunate, as
one out of every 437 was killed and 1
out of every 23 was injured. We have
all along suspected it was better to be
a passenger than an employe, even if
you travel on a pass.

Two democratic senators—Brice
and Pasco—have said that they would
vote with the republicans to amend
the present tariff law to the extent
necessary to raise the revenue needed
by the government and it will not be
surprising if others do so.

Let those who are harping upon the
mistakes that are to be made by Tom
Reed point out some of the mistakes
he made when he was speaker of the
house before, and they will receive
more attention.

There are idiots in the south as
well as in other sections, but Gov-
ernor Evans and Senator Tillman of
South Carolina, are entitled to the
champion belt, although the governor
of Georgia was a close competitor.

GREAT REDUCTION! IN PRICES.

I am prepared to sell you the fol-
lowing well known
SEWING MACHINES
at prices never heard of before. Do-
mestic, (warranted 5 years), \$28.75.
New Home, warranted 5 years \$27.50.
New Home, "Climax" warranted 5
years. \$31.50. Why can I do this?
I do not employ canvassers or Sew-
ing Machine peddlers. Any one pur-
chasing from me will save a week's sal-
ary that I have been obliged to pay to
my agents. The enormous expenses
of employing canvassers, have kept up
the prices of these goods. Why
should not Pianos, Organs and Sew-
ing Machines be sold from the store,
the same as other goods. The figures
given speak for themselves. These
Sewing Machines are too well known
throughout Rock County to need rec-
ommendation and are of the latest
improved, direct from the factories,
with full sets of the latest improved
attachments. All kinds of Musical
Instruments and Musical Supplies at
wholesale prices until the Holidays.
Any of these goods the most useful
and suitable for Xmas presents. Call
at the store, 115 W. Milwaukee street,
and be convinced.

P. S. PETERSON.

OF A VERY EARLY AND CHEAP.
The Annex and hardware store will
be open every evening until further
notice. Lowell Hardware Co.

A RELIABLE PILE CURE.
The Pyramid Pile Cure is the safest and
surest pile cure on the market, because it
contains no mineral poisons nor opium
nor cocaine, but can be used with abso-
lute safety and certainty of cure.
Many physicians are now using the
Pyramid Pile Cure in place of surgical
operations, being painless, convenient to
use, and the patient can attend to his
daily occupation while the cure is being
made, as it is used at night and no ad-
ditional treatment is necessary.
Dr. Wharton says the Pyramid Pile
Cure will prove a blessing to mankind,
when it is remembered that heretofore a
surgical operation was considered the
only cure with all its danger to life, in-
tense pain and an expense of from ten
to one hundred dollars, to say nothing of
the possible return of the trouble. The
Pyramid Pile Cure is sold by druggists
at 50 Cents and \$1.00 and does the work
quickly and safely.
A book on cause and cure of piles will
be mailed free by addressing Pyramid
Co., Albion, Mich.

Our Prices for Cash.
Fancy Patent Flour - 85c
Lake Superior Wonder - 85c
Happy Home Patent - 85c
Choice Patent - 80c
20 lbs. Gran. Sugar - \$1.00
3 2lb. cans Raspberries - 25c
The best Norway and Holland
Herring always on hand. Full
Cream, American, Brick and Lim-
berger Cheese.

A. LUTZ,
Academy St. & Washington Ave.
Here We are Again for Low Prices,
3 cans Corn..... \$.25
3 cans Gooseberries..... .25
3 lbs. White Fish..... .25
3 lbs. Sardines..... .25
2 lbs. Columbia River Salmon..... .25
3 lbs. Tomatoes..... .25
1 lb. Baking Powder..... .18
3 lbs. Baking Powder..... .50
25 bars Soap..... 1.00
Choice Patent Flour..... .83
Fancy Patent Flour..... .87
Pig Pork, per lb.,..... .07
Full Cream Cheese, per lb.,..... .10
Pickles, 15c gal., 2 gals. for..... .25
O. G. ROBERTS,
South Main St., opp. Court House Park.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT
for Rock County, In Probate.
Notice is hereby given that at a regular term
of the county court to be held in and
for said county at the court house, in the city of
Janesville, in said county, on the 1st Tuesday,
being the 7th day of Jan. 1896, at 9 o'clock a.
m. the following matter will be heard and
considered:
The application of Elizabeth J. Curtis, for
the adjustment and allowance of her account
as surviving executrix of the will of
Marion A. Curtis, late of the city of
Janesville, in said county, deceased, and for the
assignment of the residue of said estate to such
other persons as are by law and said will en-
titled thereto.—Dated Novem' er 29, 1895.
By the court,
J. W. SALF,
County Judge.

IN JUSTICE COURT—Before M. P. Richard-
son Justice of the peace.
State of Wisconsin, Rock County, City of
Janesville ss.
To Leo Mayer:
You are hereby notified that a warrant of at-
tachment has been issued against you, and your
property attached to satisfy the demand of
John M. Lock and Christian B. Stauffer, r.
amounting to one hundred and ninety-six dol-
lars and thirty-two cents (\$196.32) now due as you
sued against before M. P. Richardson, a justice
of the peace in and for said county of Rock, at
his office, in the city of Janesville, on the 23 day
of Dec, 1895, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon. Judg-
ment will be rendered against you and your
property sold to pay the debt.
Dated this 6th day of December, A. D. 1895.
John M. Lock and Christian B. Stauffer,
By Jackson & Jackson, their attys,
323

Turkey Will Get the Axe.



Our Woolens
WILL GET THE KNIFE
SURE.
Drop in and see how cheap
you can be clothed at a
truly first class place.
We carry everything that a
man wears excepting
shoes, and at prices that
will tempt.
Handle only nice goods at
poor figures.
Yours,
KNEFF & ALLEN

UNDER FULL HEADWAY.
ON account of close con-
finement in store and
steady work at bench I have
considered health better than
wealth and now offer my en-
tire stock for sale at cost which
consists of Clocks, Watches, Ster-
ling Solid Plated Silverware, Jewelry
of all kinds. Also Pianos, Organs
Musical Goods and Sheet Music.
Don't fail to come to this
sale. Buy your holiday pres-
ents.

H. F. NOTT,
57 W. Milwaukee St.

BORT, BAILEY & CO.

THE GREAT ANNUAL POCKET-BOOK SALE!

BEGINNING SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7TH.

We have secured this year as we did last year, the entire line of one of the great-
est Pocket-Book manufacturers in the country. We have bought the lot at a liberal
discount for cash and we propose to let every piece go at just billed price. You buy
the goods at WHOLESALE COST. We get for our profit the cash discount
only. You secure your choice from about three thousand Pocket-books and Purses.
There are Purses and Books

From 10c to \$6.00 Each

Some of the leather used in the make-up of these fine Books will be a curiosity for
you to see. We have them made of the skins of the
Seal, Giraffe, Elephant, Zebra,
Rattle Snake, Gopher Snake, Brazilian Lizard, Aligator,
Cow, Calf, Hog, Horse.

The beautiful finish that some of these skins take is surprising.
In This Lot Can be Found
Pocket Books, Coin Purses, Card Cases, Cigar Cases,
Cigarette Cases, Match Safes, Shopping Bags, Boston Bags,
Chatlan Bags, Le'th'r Col'r Box's, Le'th'r Cuff Box's, Le'th'r H'd'k'f Boxes,
Le'th'r Glove Box's, Shawl Straps, &c.,
and a hundred other novelties made of leather.

ALL GO AT WHOLESALE BILLED PRICE!

This is really the greatest line of Leather goods we ever saw together and you will
do well to secure an early choice from the lot. Many of these finer Books are
trimmed with 14k gold or sterling silver.

Saturday, December 7th, opens the great sale.

BORT, BAILEY & CO.

All Stamped and Plain Linens go at
Prime New York Cost.

MAKE YOUR FEET GLAD!

Don't freeze them any more; prices are now within
reach of all.

December Bargains

Men's plain Rubbers, now.....	\$.50	Misses' Heavy Rubbers, now.....	.25
Men's heavy Rubbers, now.....	.60	Misses' Storm Rubbers, now.....	.35
Men's self-acting Rubbers, now.....	.65	Ladies' Razor Toe Rubbers, now.....	.35
Men's fine Goodyear Glove Rubbers, now.....	.75	Ladies' Storm Rubbers, now.....	.45
Men's Pure Gum Arctics, now.....	.95	Ladies' Storm Alaskas, now.....	.75
Men's Snow King Arctics, now.....	1.25	Ladies' fine Arctics, now.....	1.00
Men's 3-Buckle Arctics, now.....	2.00	Ladies' High Button Arctics, (best), now.....	1.75
Child's heavy Rubbers, now.....	.25	Boys' extra heavy Overs, now.....	.50

Large stock of
MEN'S BEAVER BOOTS.
Prices: \$1.95, \$2.50 and \$3.00.

BROWN BROTHERS & LINCOLN.

MEETING OF PROFIT
FOR THE TEACHERSVERY SUCCESSFUL INSTITUTE
WAS HELD TODAY.

Two Hundred Instructors From All Over Rock County, Reinforced By a Few From Green County Gathered At the High School—The Officers Chosen.

Two hundred teachers from Rock and Green counties rallied in Jamesville today. The new High School was their mecca; the semi-annual meeting of the Rock County Teachers' association their inspiration.

Beloit sent twenty-seven teachers, while Milton, Edgerton, Evansville, and in fact about every village and hamlet in Rock county was represented.

The program opened at 9:30 a. m. with music and a crisp and interesting address of welcome was delivered by T. W. Goldin, president of the Board of Education. F. P. Starr, the able and talented president of the Teachers' Association replied in an interesting vein, and the meeting was then under way. The next number on the program was a paper by Miss Marilla Andrews; the well informed editor of The Evansville Badger.

Talked of Teachers' Pay "Tea-her's Wages in Country Schools and How to Increase Them," was her theme and she handled it knowingly and helpfully.

Then they discussed her able effort, and a recess followed. After recess Superintendent H. F. Bliss, of the State School for the Blind, invited the body to visit the school. Routine business came next, and the election of officers was to follow. F. P. Starr was reelected president and a good deal of enthusiasm, and the election of the others was deferred until after dinner.

W. A. Henry, Director of the Agricultural station of the State University, opened the afternoon programme with a treatise on "University Education." A discussion followed his talk and Prof. G. C. Schults, of the Whitewater Normal School, told of "The Functions of the Normal School." His subject was also thoroughly discussed. Then "The Place of the Independent College in Education," was outlined by Professors H. D. Damsore and George L. Collins of Beloit college and following them "The Mission of the High Schools in Public Education," was explained by Superintendent C. H. Gordon, of the city schools of Beloit.

The Closing Papers.

Prof. A. B. Whitson of the Beloit High school led the discussion of their theme and at 4 o'clock the session that had been an exceptionally profitable one from all points of view, came to an end with a well rendered musical number.

The officers chosen were as follows: President—F. P. Starr. Vice President—G. M. Hemingway. Secretary—Margaret Youngclausen. Treasurer—E. M. Cox.

THE NEWS NOTES OF THE TOWN

DANCE at Concordia hall tonight.

THE Y. M. C. A. baths are now ready for use.

BOTH divisions of the A. O. H., will meet tomorrow.

THE Associated Charities will meet on Monday afternoon.

BUSINESS meeting of the Epworth League at the First M. E. church.

THE Concordia Society have planned on another private dance for Tuesday evening.

A LOCAL confectionery dealer expects in 1,000 pounds of candy for holiday trade.

TWO cars of tobacco left the city today for Cincinnati, being shipped by J. M. Thayer.

POWER City Lodge No. 385, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen will meet tomorrow afternoon.

SEE Lorado Taft's bust of Julia Marlowe-Taber at the exhibit 24 West Milwaukee street.

A BABY girl arrived last evening at the South Jackson street home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gillespie.

THE funeral of Mrs. Anna Grant will be held tomorrow afternoon from St. Patrick's church at 3 o'clock.

BEST nut coal \$6.75 a ton cash in two-ton lots, delivered anywhere in Jamesville. F. B. Adams, Milton Junction.

THE Y. M. C. A. quartette will sing at the First M. E. church revival services hereafter. Silas Kent will accompany as organist.

JOSEPH HOGAN, the little son of Officer and Mrs. J. W. Hogan, was taken ill this noon with diphtheria and the house was quarantined.

THE art exhibit at 24 West Milwaukee street, will open Monday, December 9. Open from 1 to 10 p. m. daily. Admission 15 cents. Season tickets 25 cents.

ONE of the finest cornets ever brought to this city is now owned by Harry North, he having just received it from New York City. It was made by Benson and Company.

MR. and Mrs. P. L. Hinrichs entertained Hizzoner Whist club last evening, the prizes falling to Mrs. D. D. Mayne and Archie Reid. Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Green will entertain the club next time.

THE next attraction at the Myers Grand will be "The Brooklyn Handicap," which will be seen on Monday, Dec. 16. The company carry their own scenery and horses. They are now playing at Indianapolis, Ind.

DOINGS OF THE DAY IN THE TOWN

BREAD and milk sets. Annex.

SAGE cheese the best made at Dunn Bros.

LAMPs of all kinds at all prices. Annex.

WINE sets and water sets at Lowell's Annex.

NEW York state cider by the gallon. Dunn Bros.

SEE the line of stamped linens and T. P. Burns.

PURE gum articles at Brown Bros. & Lincoln's 95 cents.

Boys' extra heavy overs at 50 cents at the people's shoe store.

BEST laundry soap in the city, 7 bars for 25 cents. Dunn Bros.

WANTED—A set of bob runners for surrey. Address X, this office.

DIARIES, calendars, Christmas and birthday cards at Sutherland's.

SPECIAL prices on linen from now on until after Christmas. Annex.

A MEETING of the Knights of Honor will be held Monday evening at S. Hayner's office.

TUESDAY brings the grab bag social of the Woman's Relief Corps. A good time is promised.

You will find one of the nicest display of useful articles for the holiday trade at T. P. Burns.

New York state sweet cider only 15 cents a gallon, guaranteed to be strictly pure. Dunn Bros.

It takes a good cigar to please a good smoker. Our cigars please them. C. D. Stevens' pharmacy.

WEBSTER'S International dictionary with the best dictionary holders at Sutherland's book store.

ALBUMS, toilet sets, cuff and collar boxes, jewel cases, writing desks, etc., at Sutherland's book store.

TRY my New River smokeless coal for domestic use, \$5.50 per ton. P. A. McGuire 176 North River street.

TRY my New River smokeless coal for domestic use, \$5.50 per ton. P. A. McGuire, 176 North River street.

VERY stylish walking sticks for young men the sort that young men admire are shown by A. F. Hall & Co. the reliable jewelers.

No poor ones at any price, but plenty of good watches at low prices can be found at A. F. Hall & Co's., "the reliable jewelers."

To accommodate our many customers we will be open every evening during the week until after the holidays. F. C. Cook & Co.

HAVE you seen the Jersey gloves that we are selling for 25 cents? If not, you had better see them before this lot is gone. F. H. Baack.

WE have got an all wool yarn double knit mitt for 25 cents. Can you beat it? Also, a real Mackinaw mitt for 25 cents. F. H. Baack.

FROM now until after Christmas our store will be open every night except Sunday. S. C. Burnham & Co., the Jewelers and Music Dealers.

WHEN you are looking for a fine suit, remember you find goods in our store 3 to 1—in quality and quantity; as all others; no idle boast, but a fact. Bolles, "tailor."

THE fact is not generally known that Jamesville people can stop at the Tremont house, Chicago, at a rate commensurate with the times, \$2.50 a day, room and meals.

It must be that Brown Bros. & Lincoln expect to keep right along doing the shoe business of Jamesville by the amount of goods they have received the past week.

THE delegate from the Humane Society, Miss Millie Chittenden, who has been in attendance at Milwaukee at the State Humane Society, returned home last evening.

A special invoice of onyx tables with carefully selected tops just arrived for A. F. Hall & Co. the reliable jewelers. They put one aside for you for Christmas if you say so.

MISS O'NEIL, of the millinery department, made several cash purchases when in the market last week and the patrons of this department will get a benefit in consequence. Look up today's ad for particulars. Archie Reid & Co.

THE holiday line of baskets will be on sale Monday and as usual will comprise everything in the line of baskets, such as work baskets, scrap baskets, music stands, jewel baskets, handkerchief and glove baskets. Archie Reid & Co.

S. L. KEMMERER'S Bazaar store at No. 13 North Main street is now likewise the stock of dry goods and notions. It will be opened to the public next Wednesday and some money saving bargains will be offered from the start. Watch for the Bazaar's announcements.

I HAVE a few uncalled for shirts and pants which I will sell at a very low price if they are your size. Not misfits, but a No. 1 work, left on my hands by parties who could not raise the cash. There are 3 suits, 2 coats and vests, 1 overcoat and 4 pair pants. Bargains for some lucky person. Bolles, the tailor.

WE have a few odd sizes in double breasted pea jackets and vests that we can close out at cost. We don't often say we sell goods at cost but we are in this case. They are a good thing for outdoor wear if you don't want to wear an overcoat. See them if you don't buy for they are cheap. Frank Baack.

S. L. KEMMERER and E. W. Kemmerer, his son, of Independence, Iowa, are in the city preparing to open an exclusive dry goods stock. Mr. Kemmerer has taken a four years' lease of the store at No. 13 North Main street, and has secured the services of T. Van Valen, who is an old time dry goods man.

FARMER AND HIS MAN
DID SOME STEALINGBEES AND A CROSSING PLOW
WERE TAKEN.

William Caldwell and David Crowley Plead Guilty and Pay Fines and Costs Aggregating About \$75 For So Doing—George Trivith Before the Court

William Caldwell and David Crowley did an expensive job when they rid the farms of John Snyder and Christian Roehl a short time ago. At the home of the former they helped themselves to an implement described in the complaint as "one crossing plow," and Officer Hogan signed an affidavit to that effect in the municipal court yesterday afternoon. Caldwell is a farmer living in the town of Porter, and Crowley is his hired man. Both pleaded guilty to the charge of stealing Roehl's plow, and Caldwell was fined \$20 and half the costs, while Crowley was let off with a fine of \$5 and half the costs, as he said he simply "held the horses."

As soon as this case was ended the two defendants were at once charged with stealing "one hive of bees and hive" from John Snyder. Both admitted this offense too, and the same fine was assessed against them again. The fines and costs in both cases were paid, the aggregate sum being about seventy-five dollars.

George Trivith was a defendant in the municipal court this morning, he being charged with assaulting Ed. J. McCue. The case was an old one that has been hanging over Trivith for a long time, and on his plea of guilty Judge Phelps fined him one dollar and costs, in default of which he was to spend ten days in jail. A commitment was issued.

MORE MUST RIDE OR CARS STOP

Supt. Proudfoot Says People Must Say Whether the Line Is Operated

Jamesville people must patronize the street railway more freely or there will be no street railway to patronize.

That's what Superintendent Proudfoot says.

The road will not be operated much longer unless business picks up. If people would take a warm car in below zero weather in preference to walking they would ride at all, and the company doesn't feel like running cars for fun.

HOME IS DARKENED BY DEATH

Clarissa Ann Powell.

Mrs. Clarissa Ann Powell died at her home, 4 South Jackson street, last evening at 9:50 o'clock from dropsy, aged sixty-six years. Mrs. Powell, who was the widow of the late Frederick Powell was born in Montgomery county, New York, November 5th, 1829. She was married on April 9th, 1850, and came to Jamesville soon after. Ever since this time she has made this city her home. Three sons and three daughters are left to mourn a mother's love, they being R. F., J. T. and A. J. Powell, Miss Ella M. Sisson, Mrs. Anna M. Davey and Miss Amanda L. Powell, all of this city. She also leaves four brothers and two sisters, Reuben and Jacob Roof of Gordon, Iowa; Jerry and Daniel Roof and Mrs. Mary Pepper of Clinton, Missouri, and Mrs. Kate Snell of Fort Plain, New York.

The funeral will be held at the late residence 4 South Jackson street, Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Miss Edna E. McDonald.

Miss Edna E. McDonald, second daughter of Letter Carrier and Mrs. Marion McDonald, last night closed her eyes in the last long sleep, and her spirit took its flight to the land where sorrow is unknown and peace is universal. Miss McDonald had been sick for some time with a complication of ailments, but her death was quite sudden, as she had been able to be up Thursday. Yesterday she became worse, however, and at 11 o'clock last night, the end came. Miss Edna was but twenty years old, and was universally popular with all who knew her. Her death is a sad affliction, and her parents will be the recipients of tender sympathy. Miss McDonald was an earnest worker in the cause of the Epworth league, and was the secretary of the Baptist society.

The funeral will be held from the house at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Cloaks.

We are still selling lots of cloaks and are making prices that make it an object for people to buy of us. T. P. Burns.

LOCAL NEWS IN A LINE.

CHRIST Church social Union will meet next week Thursday instead of Tuesday.

CALL and see the piano advertised by H. F. Nott on page four. They are beautiful.

MISS CORA CARPENTER of Evansville, spent the day in the city the guest of Miss Myrta Williams.

M. S. KELLOGG will represent the local lodge of Good Templars at the quarterly convention to be held at Peedee, Wis., next Wednesday and Thursday.

SOME unknown animal murdered seventy-two healthy chickens this morning, belonging to Floyd Murdock, out of a flock of seventy-six. Mr. Murdock keeps a lot of blooded Leghorn chickens in a coop at the rear of his house, but some time during the early morning, a ferret, mink or weasel entered the coop and sucked the blood of seventy-two chickens, the dead bodies being found all over the road and coop.

THE FOLKS WHO COME AND GO

DR. W. B. METCALF was in Chicago today.

J. O. HILL has returned home from Edgerton.

E. H. RYAN spent the day at Madison on business.

CONTRACTOR BILLINGS is home from Albany to spend Sunday.

GEORGE CHARLTON returned home last evening from Chicago.

C. W. FERGUSON the insurance agent is home for a brief visit.

SAMUEL B. CLEMONS returned home this morning from Albany.

REV. E. N. WARE returned to his home in Florence, Mich., last evening.

C. S. GRAVES was up from Chicago to spend Sunday with his family.

MISS FRANK BRADLEY of Roscoe attended the teachers' meeting today.

MISS JESSIE F. SMITH of Fond du Lac, is the guest of Miss Eloise Palmer.

H. S. GILKEY left on the early morning train for the North on a business trip.

T. B. EARLE and R. Maltress well known Edgerton tobacco dealers were in the city today.

MR. and Mrs. E. A. Wilkison, of Milwaukee, will Sunday in the city at the Hotel Myers.

MRS. WILLIAM VAN VALEN left this morning for Chicago where she will meet her husband.

STEPHEN SWEETHEER, after a short stay in the city, returned to his home in Chicago last evening.

BENJAMIN MILLER, of the town of Harmony, has been added to the force at the Highland House.

HARRY GARBUTT, who is engaged on a building contract at Broadhead, is home to spend Sunday.

AUCTIONEER Dooley is home from Otter Creek, where he sold fifty head of cattle for F. Hutchins.

ATTORNEYS William Smith and E. D. McGowan were "having it out" in a law suit at Clinton today.

ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT MOULTON of the Northwestern road, spent the day in Chicago on business.

MR. and Mrs. E. Saunders of Milton attended the funeral of the late Dr. Frank Bond yesterday afternoon.

MR. and Mrs. Richard Valentine returned home last evening after a short visit in the World's Fair City.

MISS STELLA GORDON, of Whitewater, is visiting in the city, the guest of Miss Curtiss, at the School for the Blind.

THE Misses Gilley of Stevensville, are visiting in the city the guest of their grand parents Mr. and Mrs. Royal Wood.

O. E. ROSE left this morning for Leavenworth, Kan., where he expects to spend a few days on both a pleasure and business trip.

DR. GUNSAULUS telegraphs the People's Lecture Course committee that he will keep his Jamesville date, Tuesday, December 10, without fail.

MRS. J. B. DEARBORN pleasantly entertained the members of the Ladies Afternoon Whist club at her South Bluff street home this afternoon.

ANOTHER pop corn stand is in the field for business, it being at the corner of Milwaukee and Jackson streets, with Andrew Barton as proprietor.

DR. J. B. WHITING has returned from Chicago where he spent Thursday and Friday attending the annual meeting of the surgeons of the Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul system.

MR. and Mrs. Henry Armstrong, Mrs. D. M. Bond, Miss Lillian Bond, Edward Scott and John Williams, who were here to attend the funeral of the late Dr. Frank Bond, have returned to Iron River, Mich.

To Open Wednesday.

The Bazaar store, I. L. Kemmerer proprietor, will open next Wednesday at No. 13 North Main street with a new stock of dry goods and notions. The Bazaar store is a permanent fixture and you will do well to watch for its announcements.

FOR RENT—New nine room house, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815,

A Brilliant Listener.
Rencontour—Did it ever occur to you what a charming conversationalist Dummer is?
Tutherwun—Well, I don't know; not particularly. Why?
Rencontour—Oh, he is, decidedly; exceedingly good company. He hasn't the ghost of a memory, you know, and you can tell your stories to him over and over again, and he enjoys them every time as much as at the first telling.—Boston Transcript.

Written Expressly for Him.
"Who's that duds-looking chap?" asked the visitor at the All Dine club.
"Sh—speak easy—that's Lyghtleigh, the noted amateur actor. He's feeling mighty proud these days."
"What about?"
"He's going to star in a play written by Ignatius Donnelly—'The Great Shakespeare Cipher.'"
"Is that so?"
"Yes—Lyghtleigh takes the part of the cipher."—N. Y. Recorder.

The Cynic.
"I'm greatly disappointed," said the cynic, "for you see the world was all created without once consulting me!
It may be right in some respects, but still I greatly doubt it.
And so I'm going to kick, and kick, and kick, and kick about it."
—L. A. W. Bulletin.

PISCATORIAL.



Squire—Where are you going, Giles?
Giles—To fu-fu-fu-fish.
Squires—Why don't you speak plain? What's in your mouth, eh?
Giles—Wu-wu-wu-wurms, sir.—Fun.

Smarter Than He Seemed.
Stapleton—Plugwinch was considered a bright fellow at college, but he seems to have turned out an utter failure.
Caldecott—What's he doing?
Stapleton—Not a thing. Why, he's been living on his friends for years.
Caldecott—Call that a failure? Very few could succeed in doing so.—Bay City Chat.

She Found Him Out.
She could not understand why he to her should visit pay,
Yet never utter forth the words
She longed to hear him say.
But later in her life she learned
That his intentions were
To bring another girl to time—
He didn't care for her.
—Detroit News.

Sex to the Last.
Judge—And now, my good man, what made you kiss this lady?
Cunning Culpit—Your honor, my inherited love of beauty.
Miss Passe—Judge—er—I do not think I'll prosecute any further.—Syracuse Post.

Expectation.
Dudely—What are you going to do when you grow up, Bobby?
Bobby—I'm going to be a man. What are you going to be?—Harper's Bazar.

The Hard Part.
"Does the boss ever tell you clerks funny stories?"
"No; but we have to laugh just the same!"—Town Topics.

A Sure Cure.
Mrs. Flatby—You can't imagine what a time I have to get my cook up in the morning; it's positively wearing me out.

Mrs. Backlog—I had the same trouble, but have entirely overcome it.
Mrs. Flatby (eagerly)—How?
Mrs. Backlog—By having the baby sleep in her room.—Bay City Chat.

What He Wished.
"Oh, would I were a bird," he wrote, "and poet true was he;
"Oh, had I wings e'en like a dove,
Wings to set me free."
And from the kitchen came a voice,
His wife, ah, yes, 'twas she:
"Here's wings upon this fowl," she said,
"Come, out 'em off for me."
—Hawkinsville Dispatch.

An Impressive Warning.
Teacher—Thomas, I saw you laugh just now. What were you laughing about?
Tommy—I was just thinking about something.

Teacher—You have no business thinking during school hours. Don't let it occur again.—Texas Sittings.

As It Will Be.
Mrs. Tiff—You never bring your husband out to church on Sunday night, Mrs. Strong.

Mrs. Strong—Well, you see Monday is washday, and he has to get up early, so I don't let the dear fellow stay up late the night before.—Town Topics.

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Of Course.
"Johnny, Willie says you threw him down and jumped on him with both feet."
"Well, ma, I was just playin'."
"What sort of play do you call that?"
"Football."—Indianapolis Journal.

Not Shocked.
Dolly—I told Mr. Nicefellow that I bet Reggie 20 kisses our boat would win a race at the regatta.
Daisy—Well, wasn't he shocked?
Dolly—No, I let him hold the stakes.
—Boston Globe.

The Scorchers May Be Scorchers.
"Have you a bicycle suit, Larkin?"
"I have."
"Does it fit?"
"My lawyer fears it will when it comes to trial."—Detroit Free Press.

Where the Rub Came In.
"Did your daughter have any trouble with her French while you were abroad?"
"Not a bit. It was the natives' French that bothered her."—Life.

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Chicago & Northwestern	LEAVE FOR	ARRIVE FROM
Chicago Via Clinton	3:35 a.m.	9:30 p.m.
Chicago Via Clinton & Sharon	7:55 a.m.	8:25 p.m.
Chicago Via Clinton & Sharon	12:40 p.m.	12:40 p.m.
Chicago Via Clinton & Sharon	6:40 p.m.	1:30 a.m.
Chicago Via Beloit & Harvard	7:01 a.m.	6:20 a.m.
Chicago Via Beloit & Harvard	2:10 p.m.	11:35 a.m.
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, Beloit & Omaha line	12:23 p.m.	10:01 a.m.
Beloit, Rockford, Belvidere & Elgin	6:40 p.m.	10:25 p.m.
Waterdown, Fond Du Lac & Ashkosh	7:00 a.m.	12:15 p.m.
Waterdown, Fond Du Lac & Milwaukee	12:45 p.m.	10:40 p.m.
Waterdown & Juneau Freight	4:00 a.m.	
Waterdown	8:25 p.m.	7:50 a.m.
Evansville Brooklyn Oregon Madison & Elroy	6:30 a.m.	
Evansville Madison Elroy	10:50 a.m.	3:05 p.m.
La Crosse Winona & St. Paul	8:25 p.m.	12:05 a.m.
Layden Fellows Evansville Brooklyn Oregon & Madison	9:30 p.m.	6:35 a.m.
Evansville Madison St. Paul & Duluth	1:30 a.m.	6:35 p.m.
Evansville Madison St. Paul & Winona & Dakota	7:30 a.m.	
Evansville Madison & Elroy	2:15 p.m.	1:15 p.m.

Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul.	Leave For.	Arrive From.
Milwaukee Whitewater	7:40 a.m.	9:20 a.m.
Waukesha and Chicago	7:30 a.m.	5:35 p.m.
St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage and Madison	4:40 p.m.	7:45 p.m.
Edgerton, Stoughton and Madison, mixed	4:40 p.m.	11:15 a.m.
Dakota, Iowa, Minnesota and Prairie du Chien	7:00 p.m.	5:30 p.m.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit (daily)	11:10 a.m.	1:00 p.m.

Chicago, Elgin, Rockford, Beloit, Rock Island, Cedar Rapids, Dubuque, Clinton, Ia., Omaha, and West Freeport, Racine, Kikhoru and Dela.	Leave For.	Arrive From.
Beloit, Rockford, Savannah, Sioux City, Omaha, Denver and west fast train	1:10 p.m.	4:55 p.m.
Beloit and Rockford mixed	6:35 p.m.	9:20 a.m.
Beloit and Rockford mixed	9:35 p.m.	4:05 p.m.
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	9:30 a.m.	5:40 p.m.
Point	5:50 p.m.	4:40 p.m.
Monroe and Mineral Pt., mixed	6:15 a.m.	8:10 p.m.
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	7:15 a.m.	6:30 p.m.

JANESVILLE MAILS.

Chicago, East, West, South	Arrive.	Close
Chicago, East, West, South	6:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
Chicago, East, West, South	7:30 a.m.	10:30 a.m.
Chicago, East, North and Northwest	9:40 a.m.	12:00 m.
Chicago, North, East, West and General	12:40 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Chicago, East and all points	6:00 p.m.	8:00 p.m.
North and West, via Madison	6:30 p.m.	8:00 p.m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Chicago, East, South and Southwest	Arrive.	Close
Chicago, East, South and Southwest	6:00 a.m.	6:00 p.m.
Chicago, East, South and Southwest	6:30 p.m.	7:00 p.m.
Chicago, East, West and South	7:00 a.m.	7:00 a.m.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS, STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY, IN P. B. C.

Notice is hereby given that at the special term of the county court to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of July, A. D. 1896, being July 7, 1896 at 9 o'clock a. m. the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted:
All claims against Richard O'Donnell late of the city of Janesville in said county, deceased.
All such claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the court house in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 30 day of June A. D. 1896 or be barred.
Dated Dec 3, 1895.
By the Court.
J. W. SALK, County Judge.
H. McElroy, Attorney.
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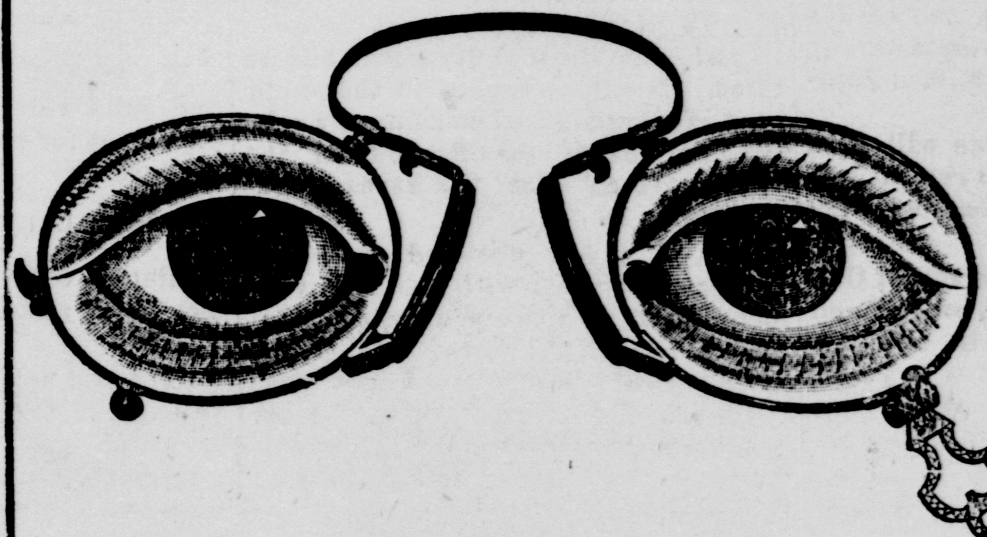
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She Relented.

"Won't you be mine?" pleaded the love-stricken young man.
"I cannot," replied the fair young girl.

"I love you so! Say that you will marry me, my sweet one!"
"I tell you I cannot do it, Mr. Darling-ton. I hope I make myself plain."

Although rejected so emphatically the youth's native gallantry did not desert him. Although she would not be his, she was a woman, and she was lovely. She was quite as lovely now as before she pronounced his doom.

"Make yourself plain!" he repeated.
"You could not, with all your skill, do that, Miss Teeters. Your beauty cannot be disguised."

She gazed at him in surprise. Never before had a rejected one persisted in telling her she was beautiful. He interested her. A man like that was worth loving.

"Oh, George!" she exclaimed, "I'll take back all the cruel things I said. I am yours."—Harper's Bazar.

What the Average Man Needs.

He puffed silently at a cornob pipe. "What the average man really needs," he said, "is not a recipe for getting \$1,000,000."

The Silent Partner, who was drawing a needle through the heel of a small sock, paused in the process.

"Indeed," said he, "what is it the average man needs?"

"What the average man needs," he replied, "is a recipe for getting along on \$500 a year."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Demand and Supply.

Stout Beggar—Gimme a quarter, will yer?
Old Gentleman (nervously)—This sounds more like—er—a demand than—er—a request.

Stout Beggar—Is dat so? Well, all you've got ter do is ter see dat de supply is equal ter de demand. See?—Bay City Chat.

The Final Precaution.

They were about signing the articles of agreement.

"One thing more," said the champion pugilist.

"What's that?" demanded the challenger.

"I want the closing speech."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Putting Him on His Feet.

Hazel—I tell you, it's a great thing to have a quarrel once in awhile. My best girl and I haven't spoken for three weeks.

Nutty—I don't see why you should feel so good about it.

Hazel—Just think of all the money I've saved!—Judge.

An Experienced Husband.

Mr. Blinks—I wish to get some hairpins for my wife.

Great Merchant—This is a wholesale house, sir.

Mr. Blinks—Of course. You don't suppose I'm fool enough to go on buying hairpins at retail, do you? I want barrel.—N. Y. Weekly.

A Chance to Economize.

Irate Father—You young idiot, don't you know it costs a small fortune each ear to gown my daughter?

Eager Woode (convincingly)—Yes; but then you would not have to dress her so expensively when she was my wife.—Puck.

A Head Twice.

Nor was his wife the drunkard, as into his home he slid.
"Twill come to a head
In the morning," he said.
In a double sense it did.
—Detroit Tribune.

WHY THE BUG SMILED.



"Oh, papa, there's a bug on the ceiling!"
"Step on it, boy, and don't bother me!"—Fliegende Blaetter.

After the Game of Shinney.

Mamma—You don't want any bread butter! Have you lost your appetite?

obby—I don't know, mamma, but I think you would give me a piece of pie, that I can find out for you.—Truth.

What They Missed.

Mrs. Downycouch—Burglars broke in the church last night and took everything.
ev. Downycouch (absent-minded)—they take a collection?—Texas Ings.

Two Kinds.

Justice—What is the charge against prisoner?
Micer—Having an infernal machine in possession, yer honor.
Justice—An anarchist or bicyclist?—City Chat.

At His Funniest.

Four friend is an actor, isn't he?"
"Yes."
"Very amusing fellow."
"Yes, off the stage."

No Use.

No use for people to complain while livin' here below;
It takes a first-class shower o' rain to make the roses grow.
—Atlanta Constitution.

Confidence.

"I'm going to be president some day," Willis, proudly. "Papa said I at."—Harper's Bazar.

CURIOUS DISCOVERY.

Nature Built an Icebox in a Hill on the Banks of the Mississippi.

The report has been brought in, avers the Springfield Leader, that about fifteen miles west of Red Bud, Ill., and the same distance north of Ste. Genevieve, Mo., on the banks of the Mississippi river, is a natural curiosity, being no less than a refrigerator formed by some unexplained law of nature.

A short time ago Farmer Wallace, on whose land this was seen, dug a cellar or grotto in the shady hillside, where the rocks are thin and brittle, in order to get a storage place for milk and other edibles. After digging back a few feet he was surprised to find layers of ice between the layers of rocks, and, as it was cool inside, and it promised to be more than he expected in the way of a refrigerator, he finished it up by putting in a door. He finds by trial that everything placed inside, such as meats, milk, fruits, or other perishable articles, keeps perfectly for any length of time. During the hottest weather last summer milk stored in this cellar would make the teeth ache to drink it. G. Y. Kettler of Red Bud says it is a wonder, and not at all like a common cellar, but a veritable ice box, made so by natural ice formed inside, how, it is not known.

An Impartial Witness.

In Harlem a few days ago, a man sued another for the recovery of a dog, which he claimed as his own. The defendant and plaintiff each produced reputable witnesses as to the ownership. At length the judge thinking he had a bright thought, ordered the contestants to whistle for the animal, and whichever was responded to be declared should be considered the owner. The defendant and the plaintiff both whistled and snapped their fingers. The dog barked his tail on the court-room floor joyfully and rushed to the plaintiff and fawned on him a moment, and then, to the disgust of the court, rushed to the defendant and exhibited the same signs of joy. The case is still undecided.—Philadelphia Ledger.

"War Cry's" New Editor.

The War Cry is the leading organ of the Salvation Army in the United States. It is an energetic and bright weekly and a fearless enemy of Satan and his allies—spiritual or material. Printers' ink is to be thrown, Luther-like, more vigorously than ever before this coming winter, and to that end Staff Captain John Milne has been transferred from the editorship of the Pacific Coast War Cry to the New York headquarters, where he will have editorial charge over the Eastern paper. The captain was a great fighter and organizer in the West, and sixty army corps are due to his efforts.

Rats Leaving a Burning Building.

A strange sight was seen in London at the great fire in the grain warehouses near Blackfriars bridge. As the buildings, which were on the water's edge, were burning a black mass was seen in the river floating from the Surrey to the Middlesex side. It was composed of thousands of rats cut from escape on the land side. Many thousands of them succeeded in crossing the river, but were then unable to get up the smooth side of the Thames embankment and were carried down stream and drowned.

TRICKS PLAYED BY PLANTS.

Artful Devices of the Calendula—The Cow Wheat's Joke.

Dr. Lundstrom has recently described some cases of alleged plant mimicry, says London Public Opinion. The cultivated plant known as calendula may, in different conditions, produce at least three different kinds of fruit. Some have sails and are suited for transportation by the wind, while others have hooks and catch hold of passing animals, but the third kind exhibits a more desperate dodge, for it becomes like a caterpillar! Not that the fruit knows anything about it, but if it be sufficiently like a caterpillar, a bird may eat it by mistake, the indigestible seeds will be subsequently dropped and so the trick succeeds.

The next case is more marvelous. There is a very graceful wild plant, with beautiful, delicate flowers, known to many as the cow wheat. Ants are fond of visiting the cow wheat to feast on a sweet banquet spread out upon the leaves. Dr. Lundstrom has observed one of these ants and was surprised to see it making off with one of the seeds from an open fruit. The ant took the seed home with it. On exploring some ant nests the explorer saw that this was not the first cow-wheat seed which had been similarly treated. Many seeds were found in the ant nurseries. The ants did not eat them or destroy them; in fact, when the nest was disturbed the ants saved the seeds along with their brood, for in size, form, color and weight, even in minute particulars, the seeds in question resemble ant cocoons. Once placed among the cocoons it requires a better than an ant to distinguish the tares from the wheat. In the excitement of flitting, when the nest is disturbed, the mistake is repeated and the seeds are also saved. The trick is found out some day, for the seeds, like the cocoons, awake out of sleep. The awakening displays the fraud. The seeds are thus supposed to be scattered; they germinate and seem to thrive in the ant nests.

About the American Wheelwoman.

Ella Hepworth Dixon, an English writer, informs the English readers of the Ladies' Pictorial that in bicycling "the American ladies would appear to affect a particularly manly costume with tight breeches and flyaway coat. For what the American young woman pleases to do she does, and there is no one—at least of the other sex—who is audacious enough to say her nay. He may grumble and sniff in his offices and clubs, but the American father and husband is too well brought up to permit himself an opinion at home on anything which concerns his womankind."

A Dainty Dessert.

Cut slices of bread into round pieces, butter each, and place in a baking pan. Pare and core nice, large apples, cut them into slices crosswise one inch in thickness, put one on each slice of bread, dust with granulated sugar, and bake twenty minutes in a hot oven. Dish, cover with cream, and serve.

Day Dream on the Road.

Ragged Robert—Don't you wish y'r father had been a king or an emperor, or a pope?

Thirsty Thomas (meditatively)—I'd rather he'd been born a brewer.

SEE the line of stamped linens at T. P. Burns'.

SMUGGLING WITH SNOWBALLS.

A Clever Ruse to Hoodwink the Customs Officials of Russia.

Until within recent years the Russian frontier on the German boundary was guarded in a surprisingly weak manner for a nation so completely under military rule as the czar's great empire. But now there is a strong cordon of garrisons only a few miles apart, and a careful patrol service between them. The chief duty of these garrisons is to prevent smuggling, and the introduction of nihilist literature into Russia. The duty is hard and monotonous, and the czar does not like to have his best trained and most effective regiments sent out along the boundary line.

For the most part these garrisons consist of young recruits from the eastern and central provinces of Russia. They are seldom expert soldiers, and the lax discipline they are under is further weakened by their excessive drinking. Their small pay is doled out to them twice a month, and every kopeck of it is immediately expended in vodka. After the vodka is gone they employ their spare time in making raids across the boundary line into the German farm yards to supplement their meager rations. Along the entire boundary line between these two countries there is a series of great open plains. Over these an icy east wind blows in winter, and the only way the soldiers can keep alive on their patrol is by the building of wood fires between the posts. Even then the patrols frequently have their limbs frozen in their monotonous marches to and fro. Hence it is not at all difficult to smuggle across the boundary, and, indeed, it is suspected that the soldiers often add to their small pay by making deals with the smugglers and turning their heads the other way when they pass by. Two very novel attempts were made last spring by the smuggling fraternity, both of which proved successful. In one case, late one night, a band of men in Germany began snowballing some villagers on Russian territory, and the Russians returned the attack. In the snowballs thrown from Germany, however, yards of fine Brussels lace were concealed. This method proved most successful, for even the secret police did not discover it, and the guard of the frontier certainly had no idea of what was going on. Quite as efficacious was the bringing of thousands of nihilist proclamations through Silesia under the very eyes of the garrison. These proclamations were in the hollow staves carried by a body of men who passed themselves off as pious pilgrims entering Russia on a sacred journey.

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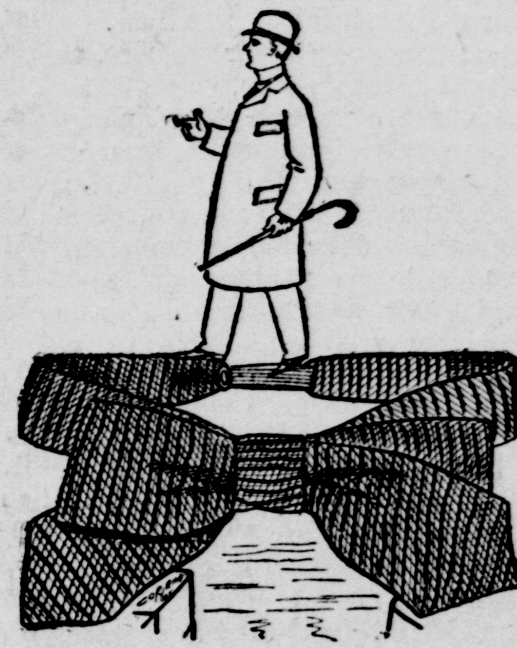
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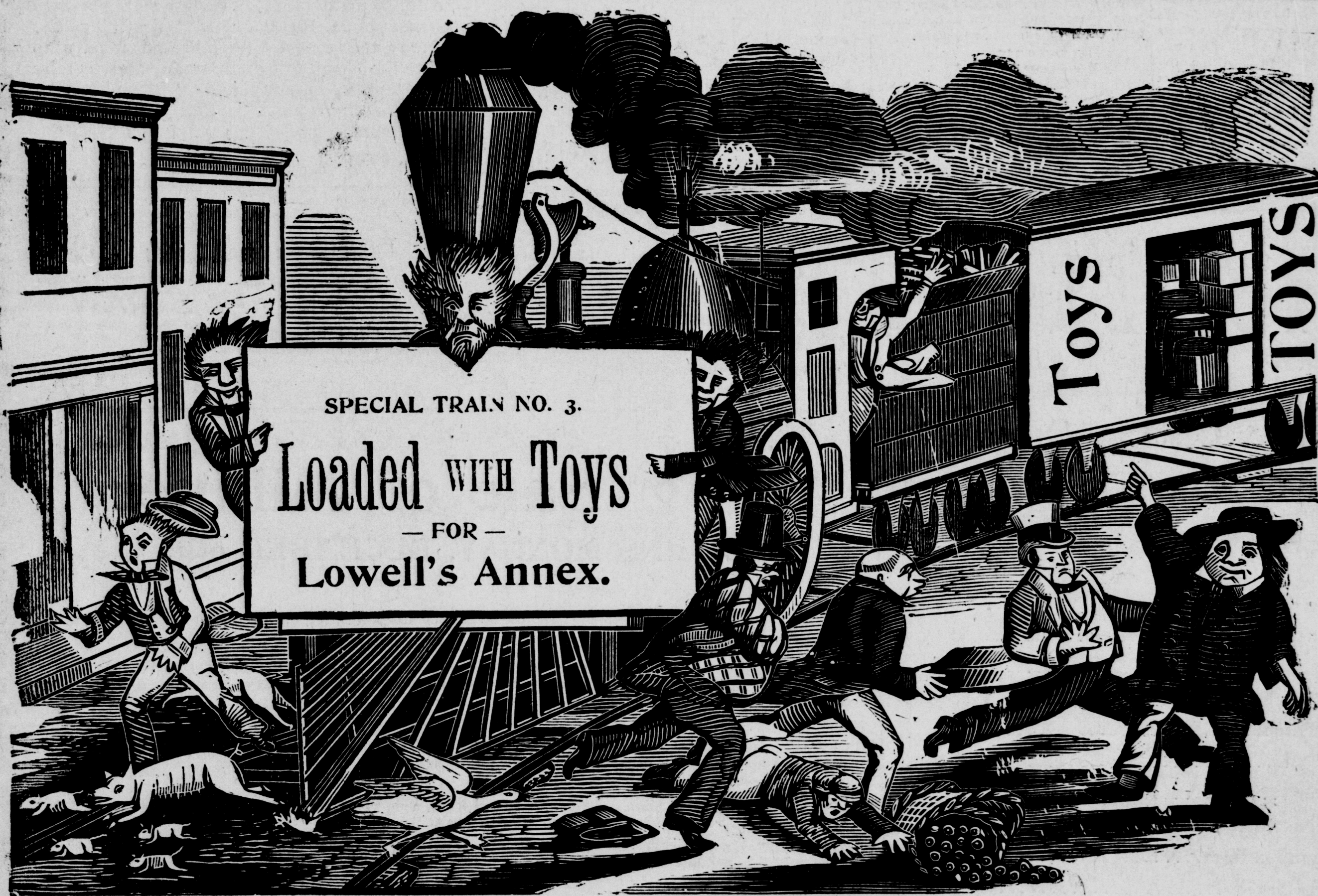
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